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The Vernon News

FIFTY-SEVEN YEARS' CONTINUOUS SERVICE TO THE OKANAGAN VALLEY

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VERNON, B.C., MAY 5, 1949

HOURS OF SUNSHINE

April 27	4.7
April 28	4.9
April 29	5.2
April 30	5.5
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Union Voters Enumeration Monday

Jackson, of Kelowna, has been named Returning Officer for Yale in the Dominion election on June 27, in the Vernon News this registration of voters in the Vernon district will be beginning Monday and Saturday, May 14.

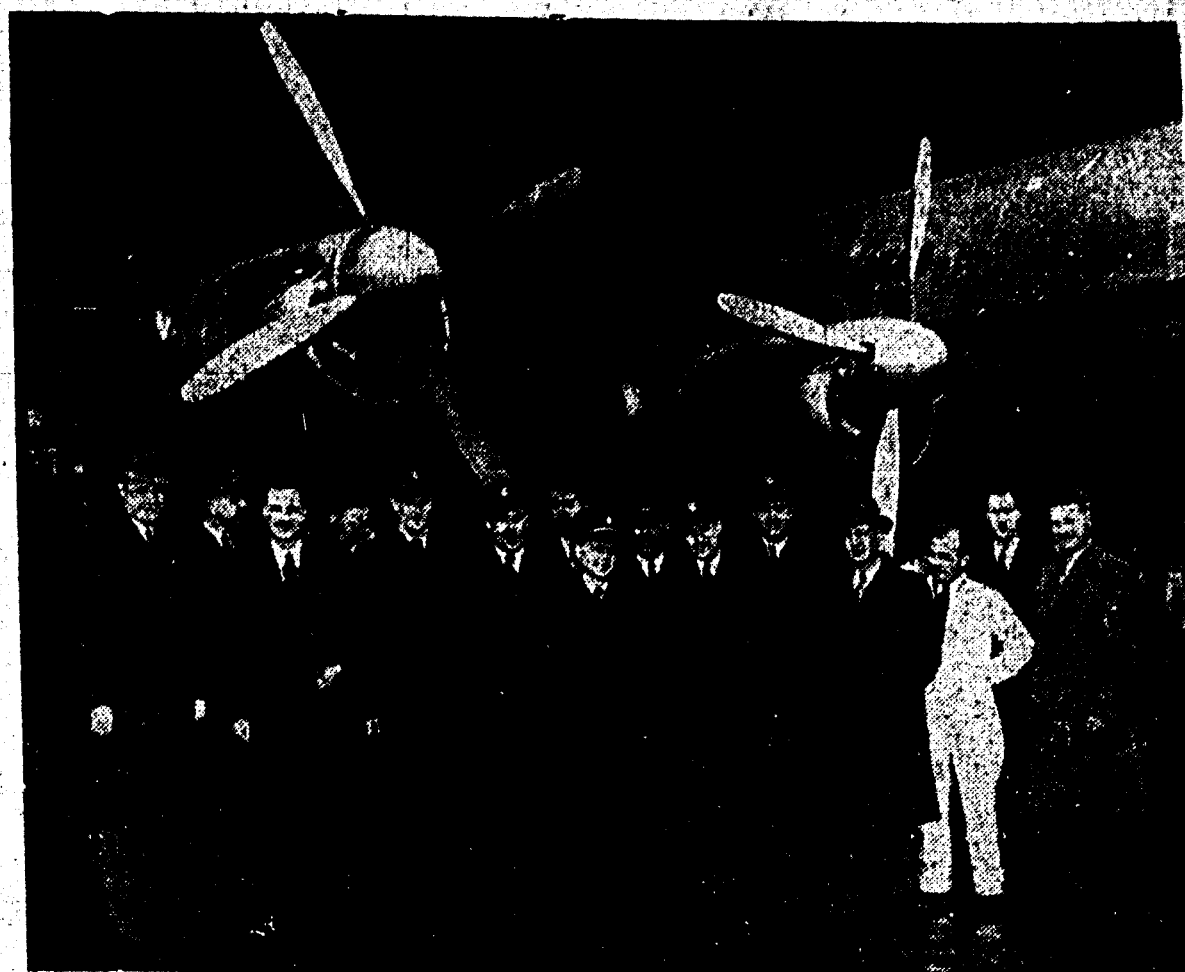
They are gathered for Yale by enumeration from Arm to the International boundary and from near Christina Lake.

Three cities—Vernon, Penticton—the enumeration is made by political parties according to number of votes for each in the last year.

This year it will be people appointed by F. and the Progressive parties. Names of the appointed are submitted to Jackson who appoints enumerators for the smaller

polling divisions will be in Enderby and Arm. In the Swan Lake district additional polls in also. There will be approximately 15 polls on with the Yale total.

At a federal election on last year, approximately 10,000 are estimated eligible to register on the voters'



Plane Stands By in Shanghai to Evacuate Canadians

This Canadian Pacific Airlines North Star, which left Vancouver recently with the above crew on a familiarization flight to Tokyo, Hong Kong and Shanghai, was later ordered to stand by to evacuate Canadians from Shanghai. The Canadian Vice-Consulate in that city issued a warning to

Canadians wishing to leave Shanghai that they should go at once before transportation is cut off. Picture shows Grant W. G. McConachie, president of C.P. Airlines, bidding good luck to pilots and crew before their departure.

North Okanagan Conservatives To Support Coalition

Wholehearted Support for Nominee at Coalition Meeting Here This Afternoon

North Okanagan Progressive Conservatives are "wholeheartedly in support" of the coalition administration for Columbia, which is seeking re-election in the June provincial election.

The coalition nominee, who is to be selected this afternoon at a joint Liberal and Conservative convention, will also receive full support. C. W. Morrow is the only known candidate so far.

Winning Meet in Okanagan Today

A district general meeting of the North Okanagan Liberal and Conservative Association will be held today, Thursday, at the Burns Hall at 3 p.m.

The meeting will be a candidate to contest the Okanagan in the June provincial election, on behalf of the Coalition.

100 delegates entitled to vote will be Liberals and half Conservatives.

Meeting of the Vernon and District Liberal and Conservative Association in the hall on Thursday evening, May 5, will be presided over by H. K. President, 20 delegates from the area were elected to vote.

From Vernon: H. K. Frank, B. D. Cooke, J. F. London, Mr. Frank, J. Beck, Miss Kilda, Franklyn Valin Jr., H. Stuart J. Martin, Cecil Dominating Meet.

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Fire Attract Par Bids

Parades were opened at a late Monday night, or rather Tuesday morning, by the City of the \$30,000 Fire Alarm and Bell Company. The parade was a success, with many people attending. The parade was held on the main street of the city, and the fire alarm and bell company was the main attraction.

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Tremendous Rush for Names on Voters' List

"A tremendous rush" featured the closing three days for registration for the provincial voters' list at the Vernon Court House, officials said this week. No accurate total of registrations for North Okanagan could be given but a rough estimate would be in the neighborhood of 12,000.

Registration in the last provincial election in 1945 totalled 7,000. Included for the first time this year are native Indians, Japanese and Chinese. Approximately 75 Indians registered for the vote at the Vernon Court House on Friday, May 13, Government Agent A. B. Wilson presiding. The Court is for the deletion of names only—registrations can not be added.

Foul Ball! Hawk Joins Game But Takes Equipment

Three little boys and a sharp shinned hawk all got the surprise of their young lives on Monday afternoon.

Alec Goodenough, Don Cameron and Jimmy Mackie were playing "pitch and catch" in the Lavington school yard during their afternoon recess. One of the boys missed a catch and the small hawk fell through some larch trees.

All of a sudden, literally out of the blue, swooped the small hawk. His talons gripped the ball and he sped away, probably already tasting the "delicious morsel" clutched in his claws. What a shock he got! The boys were so astonished, they didn't realize the ball was theirs no longer.

Parents took the excited boys' stories with more than the usual grain of salt but these phoning the school teachers for confirmation learned "it really happened."

Citizens' Chance For Free X-Ray To Prevent T.B.

Unit Hopes for at Least 500 'Customers'; Canvass For Vernon In High Gear

When the Mobile T.B. Chest Clinic visits Vernon from Monday, May 9, to May 19, the Chrysler Chapter, I.O.D.E. and other organizations hope that 500 people will take advantage of this free service each day. The hours are from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Organizers are sorry to learn that the Unit will only be in Vernon for 10 days; they had hoped for a longer stay.

A small army of canvassers is cleaning up calls right through the city and outskirts, arranging appointments so that the maximum number can be X-rayed, at the same time keeping the wheels oiled so that there be no congestion insofar as the Clinic or the public are concerned.

The Unit will be set up in the Scout Hall, not out-of-doors as last time.

This will be the third time the Unit has visited Vernon.

Clubs, groups and individuals are urged to help.

Free X-ray.

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Dial 'Phone System Soon In Armstrong

\$51,540 Equipment Has Capacity of 400 Lines; Work Takes Seven Weeks

After many months of unavoidable delay, installation has begun on central office equipment in the local exchange office of the Okanagan Telephone Company to give residents of Armstrong and district automatic telephone service.

The changeover was scheduled originally for last September, but delays were encountered which caused considerable embarrassment to company officials as well as inconvenience to telephone subscribers of the Armstrong area.

The equipment, which will have a capacity of 400 lines, is housed in the hollow tile and concrete building erected at the rear of the present Armstrong telephone exchange. Of the very latest design, the equipment should serve the district for many years to come.

Installation is expected to take approximately seven weeks, and as the work progresses, proper notice will be given to all subscribers so that the actual change of operations in itself will not cause any great inconvenience. Approximate costs of labor and material required for this conversion are given by company officials as \$51,540.

Second Interior Centre

Armstrong will be the second interior centre to have automatic telephone service. The first exchange was completed at Westbank last December at a cost of approximately \$31,000. The changeover to automatic service is part of a long range program of expansion authorized by directors of the company some months ago.

One radical change necessitated by automatic systems is the different telephone numbers to be assigned. Under the present system of party lines, certain numbers are given followed by code letters and a suffix, such as 24-1-1. The dial system assigns numbers of four figures such as 3232 to each telephone without a code letter or suffix.

A directory of new dial numbers for Armstrong telephone subscribers has been completed, and will be issued when advisable. It is being withheld to avoid confusion.

Dial equipment used is manufactured and supplied by the Automatic Electric (Canada) Limited and installation is being made by that company's employees.

Exposition Scores Many Firsts in Entertainment

Valley Blossoms May Reach Top Beauty for Exposition

The answer to the sixty-four-dollar question: "Will the apple blossoms be at their best during the third annual Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition?" is answered by Harry H. Evans, District Horticulturist, as "Yes."

Mr. Evans qualifies this by stating that winds such as experienced on Tuesday, and the official low temperature reading of 32.3 degrees that night, will do little towards bringing about peak blossom. Weather forecasts on Wednesday were for warmer temperatures, and Mr. Evans feels confident that visitors to the district for next week's big show will see the Okanagan Valley literally at its smiling best.

Cherries were in full bloom Monday and Tuesday throughout the district, and in Oyama, Winfield and Okanagan Centre. What effect the low temperatures will have is not known, but Mr. Evans is hopeful that the mean low reading may have been favorable.

Pears have started to blossom, and the lovely china-pink of peach blossom is adding its quota of color to the countryside and orchard rows.

Farmers are busy on the land. All grain and hay crops are looking in good condition.

It is too early yet to plant tomatoes, Mr. Evans declares, although some gardeners have cucumbers out, under their protecting "kaps" of course.

Local asparagus is available in Vernon stores, and is beginning to move to the canneries.

Greater Variety, More Local Interest In Four Day Show Starting Wednesday

Although the third annual Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition does not open its doors until 1 p.m. next Wednesday, officials already can outline a four day showing to surpass the grand record of the two previous efforts.

Greater variety has been given to the non-commercial division, more local firms have furnished displays for the commercial sections, and entertainment is on a larger scale than before. More than one display is new to the Interior, or the province for that matter, and one entertainment project has never been shown before in its entirety to a Canadian audience.

Grand Official Opening Thursday Afternoon

Starting on Wednesday afternoon, the Exposition will be open until 11 p.m. Daily hours will be from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday is the final day.

A factor always to be reckoned with in a show of this kind is the weather and Exposition officials are hoping for "nothing but the best." However, they recall last year when despite four days of continuous rain, the event drew more visitors than in 1947.

Premier Byron Johnson is expected to preside at the official opening on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. following an address of welcome by Exposition president, Alderman David Howie. Dr. G. F. Amyot, Deputy Minister of Health, may also be in attendance. Mayor T. R. B. Adams, C. W. Morrow, North Okanagan M.L.A., and Owen L. Jones, M.P. for Yale, will be present on the platform.

A parade, led by the McIntosh Girls Pipe Band, and including the Vernon Cadet Trumpet Band and the Kelowna Sea Cadet Band, will swing through the city and up Mission Hill to the site of the opening ceremonies.

Government Beats City to Punch on Creek Widening

Scheme for Swan and Kalamalka Creeks Catches Council Unawares; Fear Flood

The City Council was thunderstruck on Monday evening, when S. D. H. Pope, Provincial District Engineer, waited on the Mayor and Aldermen with a proposal from the Provincial Government that work be started immediately on widening Swan Lake Creek, through the Anderson Subdivision and the city of Vernon, to Okanagan Landing.

That the city cannot agree without due investigation and consideration to a program which may cause trouble to property owners whose homes border on the creek, and also the capacity of its culverts, was emphasized by Mr. Pope by the Council. After an hour's discussion, a decision was made by Mr. Pope and City Engineer F. G. DeWolf to endeavor to work out a solution without aggravating potential flood conditions within the city.

Agreement was made to carry out the program from Okanagan Landing north to the city limits on Kalamalka Lake creek to relieve the situation somewhat.

Mayor Adams termed the matter a "poser."

He deplored the fact that the Government had not given the city reasonable time to discuss the matter, to which Mr. Pope replied that he was under the impression the city was fully aware of the proposal.

Over many years, residents affected have petitioned the Government to correct the situation, which from time to time has been handled by the Government on a temporary basis. The waters involved are Swan Lake Creek and Kalamalka Lake Creek. The whole sub-Creek Widening.

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Start Excavation Of Junior High School in Park

Contract Gets Approval From Victoria; First Step In Million Dollar Program

Culmination of many months of planning, revamping, and more planning came this week for trustees of the Board for School District 22 Vernon. The first stage was begun on the million dollar school program for the district.

Preliminary work on construction of the 22-classroom Junior High School in MacDonald Park was commenced by workmen of the Commonwealth Construction Co. Ltd., of Vancouver, successful bidders for the job. Full approval of the contract, to the amount of \$446,087, was given by the Department of Education at Victoria near the weekend.

E. H. Hall, company representative in Vernon, said yesterday, Wednesday, that actual excavation was to start today, Thursday, following a survey and staking of the area. Temporary buildings have been erected on the site.

Mr. Hall estimated the excavation would take from a week to 10 days to be followed by pouring of concrete for the foundation.

Spring Assize Court Opens Here Monday

Mr. Justice Norman W. Whittaker is expected to preside over the Spring Court of Assize which opens in the Vernon Court House at 2:30 p.m. on Monday.

Six criminal cases, two divorces and one civil action are on the assize docket at the present time although further cases may be set before hearings open. Horace W. Galbraith, of Vernon, has been named Crown Prosecutor. Details of the charges were not available at press time.

Chicken Thieves Busy in Districts

Complaints to the Vernon office of the Provincial Police indicate chicken thieves are active again. For the second time in four months, police report a large number of chickens have been stolen.

On Thursday night of last week a dozen fowl were stolen from the chicken coop of Fred Deelenheer, of the Swan Lake district. Not one chicken had been left in his yard.

While police were investigating, Fred Dmytryshyn, a neighbor, drove over to Mr. Deelenheer's place and reported he had 15 chickens stolen at the same time. This made a total of 27 in a one night "haul."

The following day, Mr. Deelenheer's children were going down to their house from the highway when they discovered a sack containing four chickens in a ditch.

Police believe the thief or thieves, was loading the chickens into a vehicle when another car came along the Armstrong highway forcing the thieves to leave in a hurry.

If anyone noticed a car or truck parked at the spot, just past Schmidt's Store on the Armstrong Road, during the night, that person is asked to contact Provincial Police here.

In the latter part of February, a total of 30 chickens was stolen from farms on the Kamloops Road and in South Vernon. Nothing was uncovered by police investigation of these thefts.

"Bad White Stuff" Fatal To Immigrants' Daughter

Tragedy came this week to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Kokshoorn, Dutch immigrants who arrived in the Ewing's Landing district about a year ago.

Their brown-eyed, four year old daughter, Adriana, is dead, through eating ammonium sulphate, a fertilizer.

Officially Open New Health and Welfare Offices On Thursday

In conjunction with the official opening of the third annual Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition next Thursday afternoon, May 12, the new offices of the North Okanagan Health Unit and the Provincial Social Welfare Branch will be opened the same day at 3:30 p.m.

Dr. G. F. Amyot, Deputy Minister of Health and Provincial Health Officer, will be guest speaker at a joint meeting of the North and South Okanagan Union Boards of Health at 1:30 p.m. He will later preside at the opening.

The general public is invited to attend the opening ceremony and to inspect the new offices between the hours of 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The North Okanagan Health Unit is composed of representatives of the City Councils of Revelstoke, Salmon Arm, Salmon Arm Municipality, Vernon, Coldstream Municipality, and the various District School Boards.

The child died in the Kelowna Hospital on Saturday afternoon after an illness of four days. She was buried in the Kelowna cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

The tiny victim of this unusual tragedy arrived at Nahm Ranch from Holland in 1948.

For several days prior to her death, the child had sustained brief spells of sickness, but on Tuesday night of last week, she became violently ill. Juliana, aged six, then told her parents that "Adriana ate some of that bad white stuff."

Realizing the child had eaten ammonium sulphate, William Deighton rushed the child to hospital in Kelowna, where the parents and Mrs. Deighton kept constant vigil. Medical attention and every care came too late to counteract the poison.

As a token of sympathy, residents of Ewing's Landing and district are subscribing to a fund to purchase the cemetery plot.

Within a few days, there will arrive from Holland the half-brother of Jacques Kokshoorn, the child's father and his family, who will be employed at "Highlands," near Ewing's Landing. Mrs. Kokshoorn is also present.

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Commemorate 135 Years of Peace

A crowd estimated at 5,000 persons gathered at the boundary line between Oroville, Wash. and Osoyoos on Sunday to witness the formal dedication ceremony of the Boundary Peace Marker that was erected as a token of the goodwill existing between the peoples of United States and Canada.

Ten clubs included in Division Five of the Pacific Northwest District of Kiwanis International were responsible for the erection of the marker.

Included in the large gathering were Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and several bands, including massed pipe bands from Kelowna and Penticton.

The Governor of Washington, Arthur B. Langille, accepted the marker on behalf of the United States, while C. W. Morrow, M.L.A. for the North Okanagan, accepted on behalf of Canada. In the unavoidable absence of Premier Byron Johnson, John T. Young, of Penticton, Lieutenant Governor of District Five, Kiwanis Club, gave the address of welcome.

The presentation of the peace marker was made by J. J. Langenback, Governor of Pacific Northwest Kiwanis International.

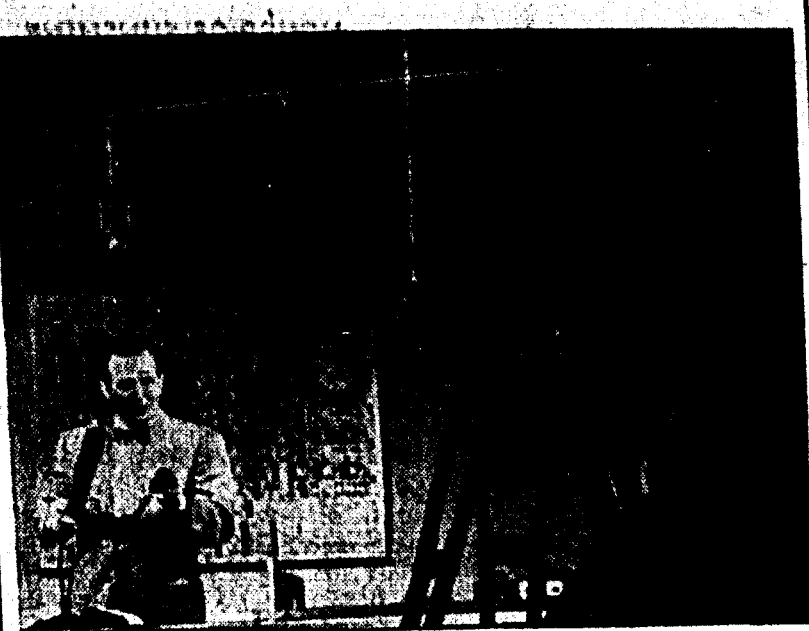
Queen Beverly Ann Young, of Penticton, and Queen Fortia Thornton, of Wenatchee, unveiled the handsome monument, surrounded by a bevy of princesses from Washington and B.C.

Letters were read from President Truman and Prime Minister St. Laurent and J. Belmont Mosser, Kiwanis International president, of St. Marys, Pennsylvania.

Following the unveiling of the marker, both Mr. Langille and Mr. Morrow made brief addresses. The North Okanagan member brought greetings and felicitations from the government and welcomed the Governor.

Commemorate

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The Vernon army camp will again be the scene of military activity but this time it will be on a much smaller scale with the accent on sports and outdoor training.

Some 500 army cadets, between 14 and 18 years old, from British Columbia and Alberta, will attend a two-week summer camp which is slated to open the first week in July. The boys will be billeted in army barracks which are being prepared at the present time. They will receive instruction in general cadet work from permanent force and reserve army personnel.

Each morning will begin with a short church service before the cadets are put through their syllabus. Some of the phases of training will include courses in driving, mechanics, radio, and especially plenty of sports and recreational courses.

Directly following the cadet camp, a trades training period for boys wishing to remain behind will be held. The courses will be for a duration of 16 weeks and consist of specialized cadet training. Practically every trade will be covered with certain ones receiving particular attention. The instructions will follow along the lines of the summer camp.

The instructional group will consist of army personnel and civilians, who will conduct some of the trade courses.

Boys attending the camp and trades training will surely gain a great benefit. Not only will they have a general knowledge of the different vocations of life, but also they will receive the physical benefits of sport and outdoor life presented only in the Okanagan.

Former Kelowna Fire Chief
Recalls Amusing Stories

RUTLAND, May 3.—The guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Rutland Board of Trade on Wednesday of last week was James Pettigrew, former Mayor of Kelowna and for many years Chief of the Kelowna Fire Brigade.

His address was on the early days of the brigade, and he told of many amusing anecdotes of the volunteer fire fighter's experiences.

This subject was a topical one, with the Board now in the middle of a drive for funds to buy a fire truck for Rutland.

Thomas Wilkinson has resigned as chairman of the board of directors of the Rutland Co-operative Society. E. Muford has been appointed president pro-tem. His vacancy by the board has been filled by the appointment of Fred Wostrowski.

The West Kootenay Power Company has installed new transformers sufficient to provide ample power for the box factory, which is expected to be in full production from now on.

Attend Graduation Fete

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gray and family, accompanied by Mrs. Victor Stewart and daughter, Colleen, motored to New Westminster to attend the graduation ceremonies at the Royal Columbia Hospital held on Thursday of last week. Miss Dorothy Gray and Miss Louise Monford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Monford, of Rutland, were among the graduating class.

William Money, of Saturna Island, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. W. Gray, of Rutland.

Mrs. Keith Caldwell, of Vancouver, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Furman Bell, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baldock and Mrs. Wightman returned to Rutland on Saturday after spending a holiday at the Coast.

Mrs. N. Blsby, of Manchester, England, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens, Jr., of Rutland.

Miss Helen Froehlich and Miss Elizabeth Singer returned to their homes in Rutland last week after spending the winter at the Coast.

The Rutland Women's Institute held an afternoon tea and display of handicraft in the Community Hall on Thursday of last week. There were a number of fine exhibits of wood carving and needlework on display. Those exhibiting were Mrs. G. Muford, Mrs. J. Schmidt, Mrs. M. Kunstar Sr., Mrs. G. Cross, J. Jervens, E. Hess, and Mrs. B. Helzman.

City Red Cross
Branch Exhibit

For Exposition

The Vernon branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, at an executive meeting on Tuesday afternoon, made arrangements to set up a Red Cross exhibit at the Exposition next week.

There will be beds with models demonstrating the ease and speed with which a pint of blood is given by a healthy person; and the life-saving properties it contains for the injured or ill; under the caption, "He Gives—She Lives." Registrations will be sought at the same time for the Blood Donor Clinic which will be in this city on Monday, May 14.

Mrs. T. Humphreys, Work Room convener, is arranging for a display of sewing and knitting, the work of local women, materials being supplied by the Red Cross Society.

Vancouver Trade Board Delegation
Unable to Attend City Exposition

The delegation of the Vancouver Board of Trade on a goodwill tour of the southern Interior is unable to arrange a change in its itinerary to include a visit to the third annual Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition, here next week.

This advice was received this week by H. J. Postbrooke, president of the Vernon Board of Trade, who wired T. G. Norris, Vancouver Board president, requesting a visit to the Vernon show.

Mr. Norris said the present itinerary calls for arrival of the party at Kelowna about 10 a.m. next Tuesday, leaving four hours later for Summerland and Penticton meetings. The Vancouver president expressed the hope that some of the Vernon Trade Board executive members could be in Kelowna to meet the delegation during its short stay.

"Our itinerary is so close that we are unable to visit all Okanagan points on this trip," Mrs. Norris declared. He added that arrangements are being made for a smaller party to visit Kamloops and Vernon in the next few months.

Work of Institute for the
Blind in Valley Reviewed

When the Interior executive of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind held its annual meeting in Kelowna on April 25, Mrs. C. LeBlond, Sr., W. H. Francks, Gus Schuster and E. T. Oliver attended from Vernon. The affair was preceded by a dinner, with W. A. Holson, of Kelowna, vice-president, in the chair, replacing President Scot Hambley, who was unable to be present. T. F. McWilliams, of Kelowna, is past president of the organization.

Percy Ogilvy, of Vancouver, vice-president of the B.C. executive, O.N.I.B., attended. The work of the Chrysler Chapter, I.O.D.E., and Gus Schuster, of Vernon, vice-president of the local branch, was highly praised. C.N.I.B. projects are promoted and kept in front of the public through their efforts. In the 1948 canvass, the sum of \$1,137 was contributed in Vernon, of which \$394 was proceeds from the Tag Day.

In the course of various reports, information was revealed that the Kelowna Lions Club has bought three talking-book machines for the use of the blind in that city.

The C.N.I.B. residence in Vancouver is being constructed and will soon be completed. This is further evidence of the expanding facilities for the blind people of the province, brought about by the C.N.I.B., Mr. Ogilvy said. It is situated in a central location in Vancouver, and is of the latest fireproof construction.

Scot Hambley was re-elected president of the Interior Division; W. A. Holson, of Kelowna, vice-president; P. Meek, of Kelowna, treasurer; Miss B. Byers, Kelowna, secretary. Vice-president for Penticton is Rev. R. Scoble, and for Vernon, Mr. Schuster.

The remainder of the local committee is: Mrs. E. C. McIndoe, Mrs. P. A. France, Mrs. C. LeBlond Sr., Mr. Francks and Mr. Oliver.

As a source of raising further monies for the Institute, Mr. Francks suggested a scheme which was heartily endorsed and now being promoted by himself: of circulating the approximately 260 optometrists throughout B.C. to have containers, banded with the slogan of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, displayed in a prominent place in their offices, for voluntary donations from patients. Mr. Francks is of the opinion that a considerable sum can be raised in this way.

The official flag of Alaska was designed by a 13-year-old boy.

* Throughout much of its history Tunisia was essentially a pirate state.

Funeral Services Saturday
For Michael Gallagher, 80

Funeral services will be held on Saturday morning in the St. James Catholic Church for Michael Gallagher, 80, who died in the Home for the Aged yesterday, Wednesday. Father J. Miles will officiate at the services.

Interment will be in the Vernon Cemetery. Campbell and Winter Funeral Chapel are in charge of arrangements.

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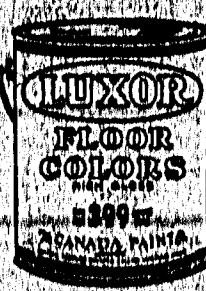
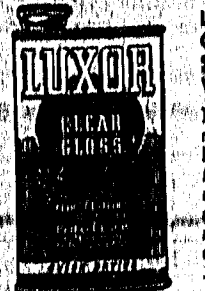
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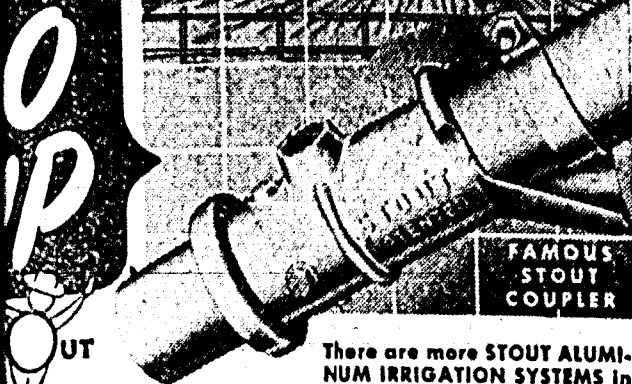
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Creek Widening

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ject came to a head last spring
through flood conditions, with the
result that the Government has
agreed to make a complete job,
providing the city is prepared to
handle the extra flow of water
which will result.

Mr. Pope's proposal to the city
was cleaning out the channel to a
width of 20 feet, with no difference
in the grade of four feet to the
mile.

The idea is to allow the water to
get away more quickly without
flooding the Anderson flats. Mr.
Pope suggested that material from
the widening process might be
placed on the sides of the banks.
He emphasized that his Depart-
ment wished to co-operate with the
city in every way.

The city must consider what the
culverts are capable of carrying;
flooding of lands in between cul-
verts; and those citizens whose
homes and properties border on the
creeks.

Whose Responsibility?
Alderman Fred Harwood empha-
sized that this was the first time
the suggestion had come before the
city. Mr. Pope said no work would
be done unless the Council was in
full agreement.

"If washouts occurred on private
property who is responsible?" said
Alderman Harris.

Mr. Pope said that Penticton is
assuming responsibility for its creek
to the extent of \$150,000.

Alderman Harris said that the
Provincial Government should as-
sume all responsibility.

Mr. Pope urged the Council to
consider the community outside the
city. "We are in complete sym-
pathy with them," Mayor Adams
replied.

C. W. Morrow, M.L.A., who was
waiting on the Council in his ca-
pacity as City Solicitor, asked per-
mission to speak as the Member for
the North Okanagan.

"This is not new," he said. "It
was brought to a head in 1948." He
declared that other communities
are working with the Government.

"Forty or 50 families have been
on the Government's doorstep for
a long time. It will be a bitter
disappointment to many people
if this matter is stood over for an-
other year," he declared.

Control of the dam at Swan Lake
itself could solve the problem of
people in the south, was another
opinion expressed.

Accompanying Mr. Pope to the
Council meeting was G. D. Grigg,
assistant District Engineer.

Exhibition Scores

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lighting effects. It will house the
stage show "Harmony House" as
presented weekly from the Or-
pheum Theatre in Vancouver.

While the cast of this show needs
no introduction to Interior audi-
ences, some of the artists might be
mentioned. Richmond Hyslop will
lead his orchestra, which includes
20 instrumentalists. Pat Morgan,
Suzanne, and the girls' quartette,
capably handle all vocal honors.

There will be no show by this
group Wednesday but they will
present three shows on Thursday
and on Saturday, Friday night,
the cast leads the mammoth dance
at the summer opening of the Vernon
Civic Arena, beginning at 9 p.m.

"Electrical legedem—magic in
every sense of the word—a show
never before presented to Cana-
dian audiences." This is some of
the praise heaped upon the display
"G.E. Magic."

Spectators will be shown a lamp
being lighted by radio, hear music
played under water, see a light
more powerful than the sun, arti-
cles floating in mid-air, hear music
played on a beam of light, and see
a demonstration of cold light. Ex-
position officials proclaim this as
an outstanding "first" for the In-
terior.

The Royal Canadian Army Ser-
vice Corps will conduct a public
safety driving test. Another new
feature, the Canadian Red Cross
Transfusion Service will give a
demonstration of a blood transfu-
sion being made.

Films to suit every taste of
young and old will be shown daily
every hour on the hour by the Na-
tional Film Board. Also, the Ver-
non Ministerial Association will
show three outstanding motion pic-
tures, "God of the Atom," "Voice
of the Deep," and "God of Crea-
tion" are the three films definitely
a "must" for each Exposition visi-
tor. Admission will be free.

More could be said about all these
features and many more arranged
for you at the Interior's third an-
nual show but the Exposition offi-
cials just ask that you visit the
show on Wednesday or Thursday.
They are certain you'll return for
more of the eye-catching, fun-filled,
entertaining, informative and edu-
cational displays throughout Friday
and Saturday.

Bad White Stuff

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hoorn's brother and his family will
also arrive in the district.

Mrs. Fred Moljanuk, of Ewing's
Landing, cared for the little child,
Juliana, during the absence of the
child's parents in Kelowna.

Vernon Entries Top Many Events In '23rd Annual Musical Contest

Vernon entries in the Okanagan Valley's 23rd annual musical fes-
tival held in Penticton, did very well in upholding this city's reputation
as a musical centre. The festival came to a brilliant conclusion on
Saturday evening in the Penticton Scout Hall after five days of close
and keen competitions in more than 100 events.

The class has been hailed as one of the most successful festivals
on record, with crowded attendance, keen interest and wholehearted
participation on all sides.

Adjudicators were J. Peebles
Conn, of Glasgow, Scotland, now
making his fourth tour of Canada
as an adjudicator, and Miss Maria
McBrierty, head of the dance de-
partment at the B.C. Institute of
Music and Drama.

In the open tenor class, John
Steele, of Vernon, was given 171
marks. Shortly after, Mr. Steele
competed in the vocal champion-
ship of the Valley with two other
contestants, Mrs. Helen Sayers, of
Vernon, and Mrs. Edythe Walker,
Penticton. Mr. Steele was awarded
88 marks and the Spencer Trophy.
Mrs. Walker received 84 marks, and
Mrs. Sayers 83.

On Thursday evening of last
week, the Vernon United
Church choir, under its con-
ductor, Mrs. Daniel Day, cap-
tured the Summerland Operatic
Shield for the third year in
succession. This was in the
large mixed choir class.

Prior to the start of the Tues-
day night sessions, the Vernon
City Band contributed several se-
lections and then went on to win
warm praise from the adjudicator
in the test pieces. The Penticton
band entered in the event but was
later withdrawn.

Mr. Conn awarded the Vernon
Band 88 marks for its performance.
In announcing the mark he told
Bandmaster Herbert Phillips that
"you are doing excellent work. I
give you a well-deserved 88."

More honors came to Vernon
when the High School choir from
grade eight received 161 marks to
win the Hayes Cup, and the same
school, under Conductor Walter
Kären, won the event for grade
seven choirs, defeating Division 23
and Division 24 of the Kelowna
High School. Marks were 168, 165
and 163, respectively.

An interesting class was that for
spoken poetry or prose, an open
event for women. Mrs. Margaret
Rose, of Vernon, received 164
marks, but placed second to Miss
A. M. Reid, of Penticton, who
scored 170 marks.

Mrs. Rose was heard again
in the event for monologue or
duologue in which she gave
"The Children's Pilgrimage."
High praise and second highest
mark of the festival, 93, was
awarded Mrs. Rose in this
event.

Mrs. Rose's daughter, Bonnie,
competing in the spoken poetry
class for children under eight years
of age, was given the excellent
mark of 87. Geoffrey Lynn Ross,
another daughter, was second with
84, and Fay Rose Erout, Pentic-
ton, third with 82 marks.

Vernon also placed well in the
open dancing events, which had
only one competitor in each. Patsy
Ball, of Vernon, scored 79 marks in
the tap dancing class, while Shell-
agh Henderson, of Kelowna, was
given 90 and 83 points in her per-
formance to win the Wyatt Cup.
The open piano duet class was
won by Betty Moog and Joan
Rorke, of Penticton, with 88 marks.

Location Changes Involve Important City Businesses

Two major businesses in this city moved to new locations this week.
After 27 years in quarters in the Reynolds Block, the head office of
the Associated Growers of B.C. Ltd. moved to spanning new offices in
the second storey of the Neil and Neil Ltd. building on 30th St. Crow-
ded in with the district office of the B.C. Power Commission on Dewdney
Avenue since its formation in September, 1947, the regional office of the
B.C. Power has occupied the former Associated Growers office.

The Associated Growers of B.C.
Ltd. was formed early in 1923 and
K. W. Kinnard, manager, was its
first employee. Previous to accept-
ing this position, he had been man-
ager of the Vernon Fruit Union.
First offices for the Associated
were above the Vernon Fruit
Union, temporary quarters while
the Reynolds Block was being re-
modelled.

The new quarters in the Neil
and Neil building are light, airy,
roomy and pleasing to the eye.
Green is the color for the walls
with the ceiling and trim a spark-
ling cream. Acoustics are good,
striated fir veneer panelling makes
an effective pattern for the lower
half of the walls. Lighting is ex-
cellent, both natural and artificial.

Glass brick makes up the lower
half of the windows on the west
side of the building as insulation
against the cold of winter and the
heat of summer. Ventilation is
good with heat to be supplied from
the Neil and Neil main plant
through overhead circulating units.
Plenty of room is afforded in the
bright, cheery offices and excellent
working conditions are available to
the staff of eight.

The new quarters consist of Mr.
Kinnard's office, the main office,
stationery room and washroom fa-
cilities.

A man weighs about 12 ounces
less at either the north or south
pole than he does on the equator.

Landing Rural Mail Delivery To Start Soon

Residents from the western Ver-
non Municipal boundaries through-
out Okanagan Landing will be serv-
ed with a mail delivery, com-
mencing on Monday, May 23, to
be known as rural route number
four.

This service climaxes 13 months
of negotiations between a commit-
tee of Okanagan Landing residents
and the Post Office Department.

The contract has been let to
Herbert James, of South Vernon,
covering carrying the mail daily
except Sunday from this city to
Okanagan Landing Post Office and
serving the rural route. This mail
will leave the Vernon Post Office
at 2 p.m. daily.

The route will start at the "Big
Rock" on the Landing Road,
through South Vernon to Prior's
Corner, terminating at Peter's Cor-
ner, the residence of Richard Pet-
ters. The return route doubles back
to Lakehead Road, across to the
Kinsmen Beach, and the North
Road to Vernon, with a total mile-
age for the return trip of 14 1/2
miles.

The Post Office Department al-
leges there are 233 persons who
can be served by the rural route.
Of this number, 106 have bought
mail boxes at a cost of \$4 each.
This is the total expense to which
those affected will be put.

Members of the committee which
negotiated for this service are:
W. H. Turnbull, L. Fuhr, A. J.
Gregory and the late J. Ollerhead.

Commemorate

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error of Washington to this prov-
ince on behalf of Premier Johnson.
Mayor T. R. B. Adams attended
as representative of the City of
Vernon and at the City Council
meeting on Monday commented
that the affair was "most impres-
sive."

The entire ceremony was a re-
minder to all that the two nations
had been able for nearly 135 years
to straighten out all their diffi-
culties by peaceful means. The mark-
ers stands as a challenge for all
who will see that war as a means
of settling boundary and other in-
ternational disputes has given way
to reason, in at least two great
freedom loving nations.

V.I.D. Taxpayers Name Two Trustees

C. D. Osborn, of Lavington, and
George Turner, of Bx district, were
elected as trustees on the Vernon
Irrigation District by taxpayers of
the District on Saturday for three
year terms each. The unsuccessful
candidate was Steve Danelluk, of
Bx District.

Retiring trustees, whose terms
automatically expired, were Mr.
Osborn, re-elected; G. G. Maule,
the latter, not seeking re-election.

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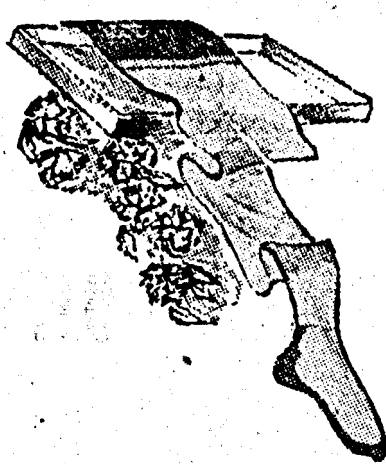
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Free X-Ray

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both within the city and outside, are co-operating in making arrangements. If anyone has been overlooked or inadvertently missed, and has no appointment, this can be arranged by telephoning 448.

Mrs. Fred Simmons is in charge of the clerical work.

Groups and individuals who are co-operating with the appointment canvass, include Miss Marjorie Stanforth, who is arranging X-rays for all students over 14 years of age; the Junior Chamber of Commerce, in charge of the business

men, with the Board of Trade looking after industrial plants. Other organizations assisting are: the Lions Club, Kinsmen's Club, I.O.O.F., Presbyterian W.A., Women's Hospital Auxiliary, Vernon Chapter Registered Nurses' Association, All Saints' Church Parochial Guild, Girls' Guild, Scottish Daughters, Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club, Ukrainian Canadian Association, the United Church W.A., W.A. to the Canadian Legion, Branch No. 26; Knights of Pythias, Pythian Sisters, Business and Professional Women's Club, Women's Institute, Catholic Women's League, Vernon Ladies' Outrigger Club, Chrysler Chapter I.O.O.F., Dart Club, Chinese Freemasons, Japanese Canadian Association; also Mrs. C. W. Mor-

row, Mrs. O. Nolan, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. P. S. Sterling and Mrs. Saunders.

In the contiguous area, arrangements for persons coming to Vernon for their X-ray, Mrs. Tierney O'Keefe is in charge of the Kamloops Road; Mrs. H. Campbell-Brown, Okanagan Landing; Women's Institute at Coldstream; Coldstream; Mrs. C. W. Goddard, Langton; Mrs. B. W. Hunter, BX District; Mrs. B. B. Hodgson, Westside Okanagan Lake and the Airport Road; Miss Margaret Wills, West side of Kamloops Lake; Mrs. Leo Fehr, Okanagan Landing Road. No charge.

According to historical records, guns were used by the Chinese as early as 1230 A.D.

Red Cross Swim Awards For Nine Vernon Students

Boys and girls who passed certain water safety and life-saving tests last summer will be guests of the Vernon Rotary Club at its Monday noon luncheon, May 23, and they will receive their awards.

This training is carried out according to the Canadian Red Cross program, and sponsored by the Rotary Club, under the chairmanship of Lawrence R. H. Nash.

Co-incident with the presentation of the awards will be the visit of Richard Mitchell, acting director, Swimming and Water Safety Department, Canadian Red Cross Society. The purpose of his visit to Vernon is to assist in the furthering of the Red Cross program through the local branch, and to look for prospective candidates for an instructor school.

It is possible that any prospective candidates for an instructor school will be chosen by the time Mr. Mitchell arrives here.

The list of the boys and girls who have qualified for the awards follows:

Donald Beal, 2905 39th Street; Dawne DeJong, R.R. No. 2; Toshiko Miyagawa, R.R. No. 2; Janet Toyofuko, R.R. No. 2; Lynn Webster, R.R. No. 2. All there are of Vernon, and will be awarded intermediate certificates.

To receive Bronze Medallions are: James Nelson, 3414 28th Ave.; Vivian McCouplie, R.R. No. 2; Malcolm McCulloch, 1500 39th Ave.; Robert Armstrong, 2405 Schubert Ave.

The candidates were instructed by Miss Mary Chadwick, and were examined on August 27, 1943.

Council Considers Spray Method of Killing Weeds

The resolution of the Vernon and District Horticultural Society that weed control on city owned lots and road allowances be effected by means of spraying with 2,4-D, and not by the scythe method, received sympathetic consideration by the City Council Monday evening.

"A nice suggestion," remarked Mayor T. R. B. Adams.

Alderman D. D. Harris warned care must be used when the spray is applied, that there is no wind. He agreed it is an efficient method if used in May, on a hot day.

Alderman David Howrie reminded the Council that the grass would still require scything. The spray method does not kill grass.

The Board of Works was authorized to enquire into weed control by the means of this spraying with authority to make purchases of supplies if necessary.

Offers from two persons to purchase two lots in the Lakeview Subdivision for the sum of \$400 each on terms were accepted. Mrs. I. Darby, who wishes to buy a 20-foot strip of land in the vicinity of 35th Avenue and 33rd Street, has been offered that property for \$100. The Land Sales Committee is investigating some city owned property on Armory Street, as to availability to civic services. This action was decided upon receipt of an application to purchase a lot in that locality.

Poses Many Queries

Harold Hudson, a representative from the Ratepayers' Association, waited on the Council, requesting clarification on various points.

These included lights on 34th Street, the danger of a flood from the newly constructed BX dam, the location of a fire plug in front of a home on 45th Avenue, and interference from "ham" radios.

Mr. Hudson was invited by the City Engineer to make a trip with him to the dam site. Mr. Hudson was assured that the dam had been approved by Provincial Government engineers, and that it would not be filled to capacity this year.

A lengthy discussion regarding the nuisance caused by amateur radio operators ensued, but Mayor T. R. B. Adams said the city had no control over these operations. Mr. Hudson was advised to write to the Department of Transport.

Regarding the costs incurred in the action of Safeway Stores, Mr. Hudson was assured by C. W. Morrow, present at the meeting, that he was doing his best in the interests of the city.

The City Hall Committee is arranging the disposition of the second storey of the City Hall, now the North Okanagan Health Unit has moved to the new Health and Welfare Building.

Fire Alarm Installation

That work has started in preparation of the new fire alarm system in the fire hall, was a statement by Alderman E. B. Cousins. Showers have been installed also in the fire hall, the cost provided for in the estimates, and work done by the firemen.

Proposals made by Alderman Cousins in connection with the suggestion by the Department of National Defence that the city provide fire protection for the Military Area, included that the D.N.D. turn over to the city the fire truck now in the area for a nominal sum, and that the D.N.D. pay wages for one full-time additional fireman, and a minimum of \$100 per annum for eight volunteers.

That the lines and hydrants in the area are in poor condition was

The unit technical staff, which includes A. Johnson and R. Jackson, emphasizes that no clothing need be removed. Costume jewelry, sequin trim, brooches, lapel pins, lapel watches, or anything of similar nature attached to the clothing must, however, be removed.

The X-ray operation only takes two or three moments of a person's time. The service is free. The individual will be asked his name and address, and within a short time of his being X-rayed, he will receive a card with the findings of the X-ray plate.

That the public is becoming increasingly conscious of the benefit accruing to the X-ray and of their anxiety to preserve the gift of good health, is indicated in the upsurge of interest when the clinic was in Vernon two summers ago. Then the number of persons taking advantage of the X-ray was almost double that the Unit's first visit.

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Valley Boards Of Health Will Meet in Vernon

The afternoon of Thursday, May 12, has been set for the official opening of the new Health and Welfare Building, so Alderman George Melvin told the City Council on Monday evening. There will be a joint meeting of the South and North Okanagan Health Units at 1:30 p.m., with the opening set for 3:30 p.m. The local Health Unit is now installed in its new quarters.

Ted Ströther, recently appointed to the position of City Life Guard, is drawing up his schedule. Alderman Melvin continued.

Operations are proceeding with much vim and vigor at Lakeview Park, insofar as the "Lakeview Community Club" is concerned. This group is made up of residents from the V.L.A. Subdivision; the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation home site, and others.

These people wish to establish an outdoor recreational centre near their homes, and part of the park has been prepared as a softball diamond. Local firms are backing the committee, Alderman Melvin said.

Trees, donated by J. P. Both, of Coldstream, have been planted on the south side of the park.

The site of the proposed Lions Club Bandshell is not yet finalized, and the Council as a group is inspecting the latest site suggested, which is on the triangle south of the bowling green.

Alderman Fred Harwood strenuously opposed the cutting of any trees. A final decision will be brought to next Monday's Council meeting.

That a "good type" of cinders is available from the Provincial Government Home for the Aged, to be had for trucking away, was a further statement by Alderman Melvin. These, he suggested, could be stored and used first of all for the cinder runway on the oval, and then for numerous other purposes.

That the city's deal for acquisition of a new gravel pit is tentatively closed, was reported by Alderman D. D. Harris. A gravel driveway for a "drive-in" to be operated by Ian Weir was authorized.

Shovel work is completed on drainage on Pleasant Valley Road.

The police warning light on the Fire Hall is only 50 percent effective, Alderman Harris continued. It cannot be seen from the north side. This will be remedied.

A representative from a parking meter company will meet the Council on March 9 at 9 p.m., City Engineer F. G. deWolf reported.

A changeover has been made in the administration at the Emergency Housing project. One hut is left, housing four families, including the caretaker.

That it is costing the city a minimum of \$100 a day during clean-up week, and that five trucks are in operation, was a further statement. "The city is vastly improved," Alderman David Howrie remarked.

The current year will be the last season for the city roller, the engineer continued. Grading is proceeding on 43rd Avenue, west to the city boundary.

The widening of 23rd Street, involving negotiations with Dr. Sam Hannah has run into a snag. The items suggested by Dr. Hannah which he alleges will be required on his property, would involve a civic expenditure of \$787. A different type of retaining wall will be suggested to Dr. Hannah as a solution.

City Resident Dies In Coast Hospital

A resident of Vernon for nine months, Eric Coventry Master, 55, died in the Vancouver General Hospital on Friday. He was in good health until recently.

Mr. Master was born in India on March 1, 1894, of English parentage. He came to Canada in 1911, served two years overseas in the First World War then returned to Canada in 1916, settling at Marchwell, Sask.

In 1919, he married Miss Florence Herring, of Saltcoats, Sask. They resided in Yorkton until July of last year when they moved to Vernon.

Surviving relatives are his wife, Florence; six children, and two grandchildren. He also leaves his mother and sister in India.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. from All Saints' Anglican Church. Rev. L. A. C. Smith officiated at the services. Interment was in the soldiers' plot in the Vernon Cemetery. Campbell and Winter Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

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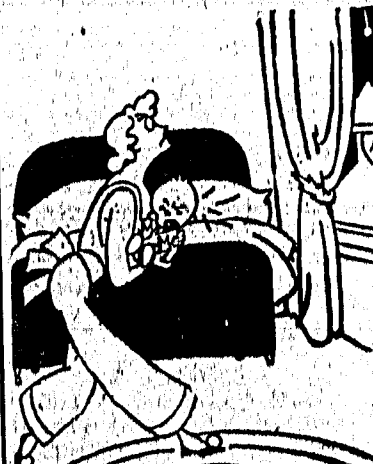
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Town and District

Oliver H. Reid, of this city, left yesterday, Wednesday, on a business trip to Kamloops. He will return tomorrow, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Askew, of this city, have as their guest the latter's mother, Mrs. Brown, of Winnipeg.

Miss Lorna Campbell and Mrs. Islay Jones returned to their home in Vernon last week from Eastern Canada, where they spent the past six months.

Douglas McQuillan left Vernon on Saturday of last week for Trail, where he started on May 2 as operator in the O.P.R. Commercial Telegraph office at that centre.

Robert Carswell Jr. returned to Vernon on Monday morning after attending the British Columbia Fish and Game Convention held over the weekend at Harrison Hot Springs.

Miss Mary Alexis, of Victoria, arrived in Vernon on Friday morning to spend a few days visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Alexis, of this city.

Returning to Vernon on Saturday of last week was Mrs. Arthur Fritchard, who had spent a short holiday in Vancouver with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Richards, formerly of this city.

Les Anthony, of Penticton, returned to his home from Edmonton, Alta., yesterday, Wednesday. He stopped en route in Vernon for some time to visit his daughter, Miss Irene Anthony.

Ian Greenwood returned to this city on Saturday morning after completing a term in Science at the University of British Columbia. He is employed locally during the summer holidays.

George Habke, of Lavington, returned to his home on Friday, after completing his third year at the University of British Columbia. Mr. Habke is taking a general course and will major in agriculture.

Mrs. C. Hamilton Watts has returned to her home in Vernon after 10 days' holiday in Vancouver and Victoria. While at the Coast she also visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Watts and family, in West Vancouver.

After spending four days in Penticton, Mrs. Daniel Day returned to her home in this city on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Day entered the Vernon United Church Choir in the Okanagan Valley Musical Festival, for which it won top honors for the third consecutive year.

Mrs. J. H. Hopps and her daughter returned to Delburne, Alta., on Thursday evening of last week. They spent a month's holiday in Vancouver and New Westminster visiting relatives and friends, and while in Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Spong.

Mrs. R. N. Chambers, of this city, left Vernon yesterday, Wednesday, by plane for Vancouver, while there she will attend the annual meeting of the B.C. Tuberculosis Society, and be present at the opening of the T.B. Institute, built at a cost of \$400,000, raised entirely by Christmas Seals sold throughout the province.

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George Ikeda returned to this city on Friday from Vancouver where he is attending the University of British Columbia.

Adrian Zimmerman returned to his home in Vernon on Tuesday after spending nine weeks at Vancouver receiving medical treatment.

Captain G. Brown, B.C. area Cadet Officer, arrived in Vernon on Friday morning from Vancouver to prepare plans for the summer Cadet camp.

Miss Helen Hunchak left for her home in Hafford, Saskatchewan on Thursday of last week.

R. W. Ley returned to his home in Vernon on Saturday after a short business trip to Vancouver.

Allan Dawe returned to his home in Lavington on Monday after completing a second term at the University of British Columbia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Dawe, of Lavington.

Ralph Christensen returned to this city on Monday morning after completing his third term in a pre-medical course at the University of British Columbia. Ralph is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Christensen, of Vernon.

Miss Leslie Olmsted left Vernon on Friday of last week for Duncan, Vancouver Island, where she is a student at St. Margaret's School for Girls. She had been spending a vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eric H. Olmsted, of this city.

Most Rev. W. R. Adams, Archbishop of Yukon, returned to his home in Vernon on Friday from his northern diocese, flying to Vancouver en route to the Okanagan, where he attended a series of meetings. Archbishop Adams leaves again in a few days for the Yukon.

Leaving for Victoria tomorrow, Friday, are Mrs. A. S. Nelson and Mrs. E. E. Price, president and secretary respectively of the Women's to the Canadian Legion, Branch No. 25. They will attend the annual convention of Legion Auxiliaries to be held in the Island City on May 8 to 11.

G. A. MacNamara, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. at Montreal, and Harry Arkle, assistant traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg, Man., were in Vernon this week on a routine visit. Mr. MacNamara commented that on his travel through the Prairie Provinces he noted that moisture conditions were very bad.

Returning to Vernon on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Harland Fisher and Miss Barbara Fisher, after a few days' holiday at the Coast, during which time they attended the graduation of Miss Sheila Marjorie Fisher, now Registered Nurse, from the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster. Ceremonies were held in the Arena, Queen's Park, New Westminster.

On the first stage of a lengthy journey overseas, Mrs. David Wilkie, of this city, left Vernon on Saturday night. She will sail tomorrow, Friday, on the Empress of Canada for Perth, Scotland, and will be away from the city for several months. In Scotland, Mrs. Wilkie will visit the family of her late husband, who was killed during the war. She has never seen these relatives.

Major and Mrs. M. V. McGuire returned to Vernon on Sunday morning, after attending the graduation of their daughter, Miss Janet Anne Kidston McGuire, from the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, on Thursday evening of last week. Miss McGuire, who arrived in Vernon on Monday to spend a month's holiday at her home here, headed the 1949 graduating class, and won the New Westminster Chapter of Registered Nurses' Association medal for the highest standard of general efficiency.

Miss Hilda Cryderman and Miss Nancy Jermyn have returned to Vernon from a holiday in Winnipeg, when Miss Jermyn was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Gaunt. Miss Cryderman, national treasurer, attended a business meeting of the National Board, Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Among business transactions were arrangements for a cross-Canada tour of Donna Grescu, brilliant violinist, next fall, her tour to be sponsored by the Federation. Miss Margaret Hyndman, K.C., well known to the Vernon Club members, will be Canadian delegate to meetings this year in Helsinki of the International and Professional Women's Clubs. Plans were made for the National Federation's Biennial Convention in Halifax in July, 1950. All reports showed great activity and growing strength in all clubs.

Recent Fire Destroys What Nazi Occupation And Blitz Couldn't

An unfortunate start to C. Robert Taylor's residence in Vernon is the fact that most of his household effects and large collection of documents and Town Planning data were destroyed in a fire which occurred in a freight truck during transit from Roseland to Vernon.

The vehicle was near Osoyoos when the blaze occurred. Two other persons sustained freight losses. Mr. Taylor, after successfully preserving his professional records during the occupation of the Channel Islands and later the bombing of London and other cities where he was located during World War Two, had half of them stolen on his way out to Canada. Practically all that remained, which were the accumulation of 20 years of study, research and experience, were lost in the truck fire.

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Falkland Girl Wins Award for Nursing Course

FAULKLAND, May 3. — Thelma May Clark, daughter of Mrs. Clara Clark, of this district, was awarded the alumnae prize for bedside nursing at the 1949 graduation class of the Royal Columbia Hospital of New Westminster. The presentation was made by Mrs. H. Kellington, R.N., president of the hospital.

A second honor came to Falkland when Miss Shirley Donaldson was chosen among the winners in the piano solos for under 16 years at the musical festival held in Penitence last week. Miss Donaldson is organist at the United Church.

Several cars with I.O.O.F. and Rebecca members attended the church parade in Armstrong on Sunday commemorating the founding of the lodge.

Falkland citizens contributed over \$50 to the Conquer Cancer Campaign. Margaret Aitken and Rena Churchill are to be commended for the wonderful effort they made in this project.

Miss Oliver Aitken spent several days visiting in Enderby last week.

Leonard Hamann left on Monday for Chase, where he holds a position with the Forestry Service.

Norman Jessiman and A. Dryden were business visitors in Falkland recently.

Miss LeVerne Kalwalski left on Saturday for Vernon.

Assisted In W.I. Sale

In a news story printed elsewhere in this issue of The Vernon News, on the Vernon Women's Institute rummage sale and tea held on April 29, the name of Mrs. D. Butler was inadvertently omitted in the list of members who helped with the affair.

New Deposit Arrives For Film Library

The last basic deposit of films in the local National Film Board Library before the summer break contains some very beautiful and interesting prints. Council members hope that even with the lighter evenings, the organizations will make good use of these films.

Many will have an opportunity to see one or more as they pay their visit to the film hut at the Exposition as the Film Council will be operating there again each afternoon and evening.

One film in the deposit that is certain to please both adults and children is "Wind from the West." This picture is a charming blend of fact and fantasy. The land of the Lapps in northern-most Sweden is the setting—scenes full of beauty and grandeur.

In a schoolhouse, young Nils sits dreamily longing that he could migrate with the older Lapps on their yearly migration to the mountains. Presently the day does, and in his dream the voice of the wind from the west, speaks to him, and takes him on a dream visit to the mountains. A unique film, it is noteworthy for its beautiful photography of animals and flowers, as well as scenery on a grand scale.

Three centuries ago Acadian settlers in Nova Scotia built dykes to hold back the sea, turning useless marshlands into fertile meadows. But during depression times the dykes were neglected and the tides of Fundy took back the land. "Land from the Sea," a beautiful color film, tells how the Nova Scotians are working with the government to install sluices and rebuild the dykes.

To all who come from Eastern Canada, "Maple Sugar Time" will bring back happy memories of the time when the snow softens, the ice begins to break and the traditional equipment is loaded on to a sleigh to be whisked off to the sugar-bush. This is also in color.

Musical Fare
For music lovers there is a one-reel film starring the Toronto Symphony Orchestra. "Sir Ernest MacMillan conducts 'Jamaican Rhapsody' by Arthur Benjamin; 'At St. Malo' by Sir Ernest MacMillan, and overture to 'Colas Breugnot' by Dimitri Kabalevsky.

Of a more serious nature is "What's On Your Mind." This film shows how people searching for escape from the frightening realities of today's world turn in many directions such as to teacup reading, astrology and personality magazines. Meanwhile, scientists probe puzzles of the human mind, searching for ways of helping it to meet new strains.

Other films in the deposit are: "Before They Are Six," a story of Canada's day nurseries; "Main Dish," informing housewives how to buy wisely; "New North," a picture of the Canadian North opened up by the Alaska Highway; "Painters of Quebec," presents seven Quebec artists showing the relation of their work to their environment; "School for Canadians," the summer school for French and English speaking students at Trois Pistoles, Quebec.

Officials recently discovered that London bridge has dropped several inches at one point on the south side.

Fruit at room temperature is easier to squeeze than that which has been chilled in the refrigerator.

"The Okanagan Valley Is A Better Place to Live"

—Rotarians Told

"I often wonder if the young people in Vernon realize how fortunate they are with these lakes so close to the city for their recreation in the summer months. The children in Saskatchewan where I was stationed had to go 120 miles to be able to swim."

This observation was made in a speech at the Monday luncheon of the Vernon Rotary Club by J. A. J. Illington, secretary of the Vernon Board of Trade and former R.C.M.P. corporal stationed in this city and at Rosthern, Sask.

Mr. Illington drew on his experiences while in the force to give Rotarians some comparisons between Saskatchewan and this part of Canada.

Making clear he was not "knocking" the prairie province or its peoples, Mr. Illington said the Okanagan had definite advantages. He referred to the severe winter just past and of complaints about road conditions. In Saskatchewan few of the roads are paved and in the winter even the main highways are like the Monashee Highway here.

"In Rosthern for two solid months in the winter you couldn't even get out of town. The town was simply cut off."

Mr. Illington arrived in Rosthern on July 28 and the weather was "boiling hot." There had been no rain for quite some time and the crops were burning up. The town has a population of about 1,200, with the majority of the people Mennonites and a minority of Ukrainians.

The speaker told Rotarians of his amazement at finding storm sash still on the windows of the buildings. He questioned this and was answered: "The wind is not blowing today." The next day the wind did blow and the reason for the storm sash was quite evident.

Soil erosion is a serious problem facing the people on the prairies. Agricultural officials estimate it takes 40 years to make an inch of top soil and from the way the wind blows "on an average day it looks as though the soil is blowing away at the rate of an inch an hour."

Rosthern is interesting from its historical aspect. The district centered the battlefields during the rebellion and at Batouche one can still see where the trenches were. An old church building is still pock-marked with bullet holes.

Of particular interest was the fact that this was the first battle in which the machine gun was used. The gun was invented by Captain R. J. Gatling and worked on the same system as a revolver. The man who first fired it was killed and his grave is quite close to where he fell.

"Wonderful Prestige"
Turning to his duties, Mr. Illington said that the R.C.M.P. work was quite different in Rosthern compared to that here. The R.C.M.P. is the only police force and they do all the police work. "They have a wonderful prestige and a fine organization." The former officer spoke highly of the modern criminal investigation methods used by the Mounties.

"We have an entirely erroneous idea about the Mennonites," Mr. Illington declared. He corrected the impression that these people are mostly peasants—a lot of them are doctors, lawyers and other professional men.

Strongest Anti-Communists
These people are originally from Holland but through persecution because of their beliefs they were forced into Germany and Russia. "They have been kicked around and they have suffered considerably. Several of the men at Rosthern had seen their fathers killed by the Russian police. They are the strongest anti-Communists in Canada. A great many of the Canadian-born Mennonites joined the services during the war."

Another observation of the town of Rosthern that Mr. Illington passed on to the Rotarians concerned the lack of recreation for the people. There was only a poorly developed golf course, no tennis courts or similar recreational facilities.

"In winter, the people made their own recreation. They have amazing talent. Musical festivals were organized in the small towns in the farming districts and the talent developed was remarkable."

"The young people are very enthusiastic Canadians," Mr. Illington told of starting a Scout troop in Rosthern of 20 to 30 boys. "Not one was of pure British parentage. With all pride, I can say there were not many troops in Saskatchewan who came up to those boys. They were a credit to the movement."

14 Year Old Boy Sent To Industrial School On Charge of Theft
A 14-year-old Vernon boy was committed to the Industrial School for Boys on Wednesday morning by Magistrate Frank Smith.

Police apprehended the juvenile as he was in the act of breaking into a shed and stealing beer bottles on the Nell and Nell property. The lad previously had appeared in Juvenile Court on the same charge. This time the court's decision was to commit him to the Industrial School.

If an inch of top soil is lost from an acre of land, approximately 700 pounds of nitrogen, 185 pounds of phosphorus, and 8,800 pounds of potash are lost.

Sister Of Oyama Man Dies In East

Many residents of Oyama and district will regret to hear of the death of Miss Mabel F. Platt, Registered Nurse, who died at Toronto General Hospital on April 23.

She is sister of James Norman Platt, R.R. 1, Oyama, and has frequently visited him there, the last occasion being about two years ago.

Miss Platt was born in Toronto, Ont., and spent her early years in England. Returning to Toronto, she trained and graduated at Toronto General Hospital, and for several years did private nursing in that city. She came to B.C. permanently about seven years ago. She was on the staff of the Indian Hospital at Prince Rupert.

Owing to ill health, Miss Platt returned to Toronto, but did not respond to treatment. Burial was in Park Lawn Cemetery on Tuesday, April 26.

Another brother, William G. Platt, of West Toronto, also survives.

Vernon Regains Some Sunshine Lost Last Year

Get ready for your holidays. The weatherman has given indications that his sometime partner Old Sol will be generous to Vernon citizens this summer.

According to the weather statistics released this week by Franklin Smith, city meteorologist, this area received 26 hours more of sunshine during the month of April than it did in the same month in 1948. An average of more than five hours a day for Vernon—totalled 173.5 hours. The 1948 figure was 147 hours.

The average temperatures, both maximum and minimum have been higher this April than last year. This spring the max has reached 61.7 degrees and the min has dropped to 37.9 degrees. Last spring's readings were 55.2 degrees and 34.9 respectively.

The high reading for the month of April was on Wednesday of last week when the mercury reached 78.8 degrees. The coldest day was April 14 with a 28.9 reading.

Mr. Smith reported that the average annual rainfall for this area during the past 29 years is 84.2 inches. Average mean temperature for the past 32 years was registered at 49.4 degrees.

The mean relative humidity reading was lower this April than April of 1948. The percentage last year was 67 compared to the 56 percent this spring.

Besides the increase in sunshine, local holiday planners trips in May or June will be glad to know that only .84 inches of rain fell during the month of April compared to the two and half inch rainfall last year at this time.

On the scent of a female, the male promethea moth has been known to fly seven miles through the night.

With the use of explosives, a tunnelling crew recently punched a way through 80 feet of solid rock in 24 hours to establish a new tunnelling record in the U.S.

Four Lonely City Residents Attend Bylaw Meeting

"I am in favor of the by-law," said one unidentified citizen of the four persons who attended the public meeting held in the Council Chamber on Monday for the purpose of hearing citizens affected by the proposed re-enactment of the existing Zoning Bylaw. The full Council was present, with Mayor T. R. B. Adams chairman.

At 8:15 p.m., the meeting adjourned, and the Council reconvened as such for continuance of routine business.

City to Enforce Regulations Set In Fire Bylaw

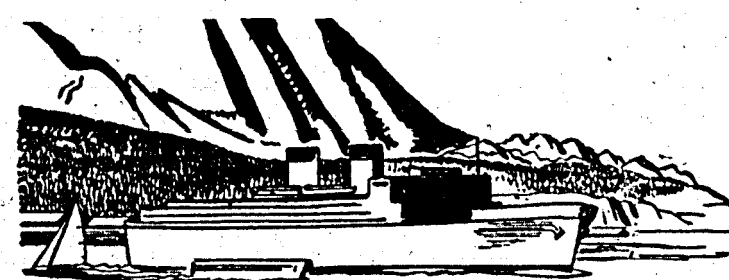
The Junior Chamber of Commerce really started something when it protested the movement of vehicular traffic after the fire siren has sounded.

Alderman E. B. Cousins reported to the City Council on Monday evening the Fire Bylaw requires that no vehicle shall be in motion within 500 feet of moving fire apparatus.

All vehicles must pull into the curb, and remain stationary for three minutes, following the siren, and that the sight of equipment constitutes the sounding of the alarm, should the latter not be heard.

Further, no person or vehicle, with the exception of an ambulance, police or member of the water committee, and of course the fire fighting equipment, shall be closer than 200 feet of the fire. The city is preparing to enforce the bylaw, and penalties for infractions will probably be imposed.

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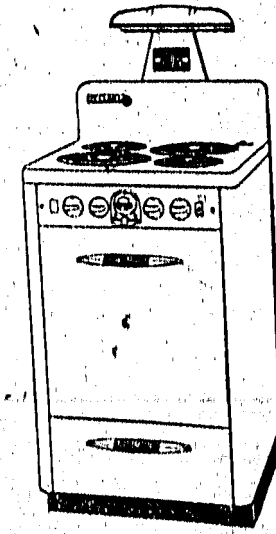
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Ingram, Munk Sparkle in League Ball Opener

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aching duel with John Ingram and Al Munk in the spotlight of the opening game of the 1949 City Baseball League between the Builders and the Timberwolves on Thursday of last week. Ingram, moundman for the Builders, limited the Wolves to four safeties in taking winning honors via a 2-1 score. Munk singled, four of them coming in the third frame when the Builders crossed home plate with both of their runs.

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Although they failed to score any runs, they left two men stranded on third and first bases. Ingram forced the first batter to face him to pop out, but then ran into difficulty when Ike Jackson slammed out a double followed by Al Munk who chopped out a single over the infield. Ingram then whiffed Ed Munk and forced Jack Burnham to ground out, Henschke to Douglas.

An error paved the way for the Wolves' lone run. After issuing a free pass to Ike Jackson, Ingram forced Al Munk to hit a short fly into right field which was muffed by Archambault. Jackson scored on the play.

But the credit for the win goes to John Ingram, last season's Princeton mound ace. He whiffed eight batters, allowed four scattered hits and issued only two walks. Only 29 batters faced him in the seven inning affair. Munk, on the other hand, was a slim notch below. He walked three men, retired four men with strikeouts and allowed five hits.

Predator Derby Day to be Staged Sunday, May 22

The Vernon Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association's annual predator "derby day" is set for Sunday, May 22. All local sportsmen are requested to select teams of four shooters each in preparation for the big day.

In outlining the object of this expedition, Harry Lomax, secretary of the local association, pointed out that each year "derby day" rids the district of numerous crows, ravens and magpies which are doing considerable damage to the pheasant population.

Each team consists of four men who are given a certain area to cover. They check in to a main station at a specified time of the evening and produce their kills. Times and check-in station will be announced at a later date.

Free shells as well as prizes for the top four teams will be provided by the club. The team winning the "derby" will be awarded a cup.

Netzel, O'Keefe Put Nangle Cup on Shelf Third Successive Time

Stan Netzel and Len O'Keefe seem to have a hidden charm on the Nangle Cup. For the third time this season the local divoters have successfully defended the silverware against challenges from Vernon Golf Club members.

On Sunday afternoon, playing on a wet course, they defeated Clem Watson and "Red" Holland in the medal score match play, two up with one hole to go. Netzel and O'Keefe have accepted a third challenge for their prize. Jack Ingalls and Harry Tyrell will attempt to wrestle the Cup from the holders this week.

Play in the Waterloo Cup, mixed two-ball foursome on handicap, failed to get underway Sunday due to the wet weather. The event will be played at a date to be announced.

No Pheasant Shooting At Down On Opening Day

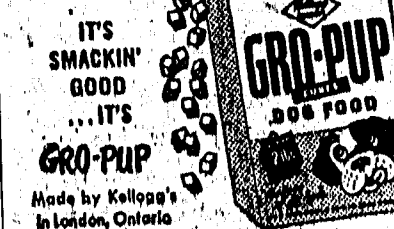
The pheasant season will not be open at dawn on the initial day as reported in last week's issue of The Vernon News. Recommendations for shooting hours are from 12 o'clock noon until 3:30 p.m. for the opening three days and 8 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. throughout the duration of the season.

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Tigers in Light Workouts; Make Strong Bid to Repeat

It looks like the '49 version of Vernon Tigers will be the team of old. The Interior champion lacrosse clan, despite many obstacles, has finally started to work out in earnest in preparation for this season's bid for the Okanagan, Interior and provincial senior B lacrosse honors. Under Booney Sammartino, named coach when Burnie Feedham declined to accept the job, the team has been going through light conditioning exercises at Polson Park.

The floor in the arena was laid this week and after a sand-papering and varnishing job is completed, the local warriors will take to the floor. Final plans for the opening date of the Interior Lacrosse League have yet to be completed but the season probably will swing into action about May 24.

More than 15 players are attending the Tiger practices but many of these are juniors or utility men of last year's team hoping to catch a regular spot on the club. Many of the oldtimers and mainstays of the squad are absent but they will return to action when practices are commenced in the arena.

Coach, Man of Experience
The man putting players through their paces, although only in his second season in Vernon, is no newcomer to the game of lacrosse. Booney Sammartino is 32 years old and has been in senior company boxla for 15 years with the exception of three years spent in the forces.

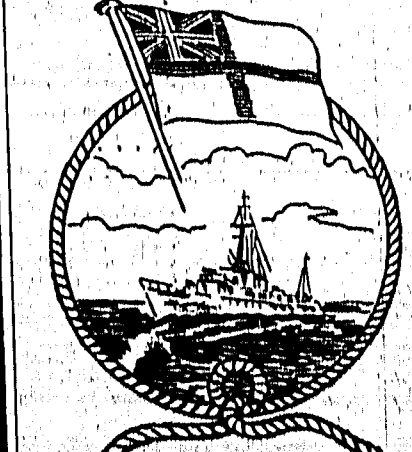
He broke into senior A lacrosse with the Trail Golden Bears, of the Kootenay League, when 17. He won the scoring championship of that circuit and was always among the top scorers of the circuit. In 1939, he was awarded the most valuable player trophy for the Trail team.

After spending six years in the Kootenay League, Sammartino was imported to the Richmond Farmers of the Coast League. He spent two seasons with the Farmers and had become a mainstay of the team when he entered the army in 1943.

After being discharged, he made his home in Penticton and was away from the game for part of the 1946 season, returning to action in the Kootenay and B.C. senior A playdowns to help strengthen the Trail Golden Bears for their play-offs.

With a background crammed with experience, Sammartino should be able to guide the Tigers through a good season. If he can insert into the team some of his own never dying spirit, the Vernon Tigers should play a prominent part in the 1949 Interior lacrosse setup.

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Country Club Dance Opening Moved Ahead

The dance marking the opening of the Country Club will not be held on Saturday, May 14. Due to the Exposition celebration which is to take place in the Vernon Civic Arena on Friday, May 13, the club dance has been moved ahead to Monday, May 23. Smith's Orchestra, of Oyama, has been engaged to provide the music for the opening affair.

Tom Marrior, Country Club president, reports this week that the tennis courts are in excellent condition. Wet weather forced a cancellation of last Sunday's opening but efforts are being made to make this Sunday the opening day for 1949.

Organize Minor Boxla in Vernon

All boys between nine and 17 years of age wishing to play lacrosse this season are asked to fill in the application forms which will be distributed throughout the schools this week.

The Vernon Tiger Lacrosse Club has appointed R. W. Savage Sr. chief organizer of the Vernon minor Inter-City Lacrosse League.

Plans are to have a Bantam and Juvenile A loop operating in the city this season with some of the games to be played as an added attraction to Interior Senior League contests.

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High School Track, Field Stars Prep for Valley Meet

With sprint ways for the high jump and broad jump dug and cindered in Polson Park, track and field athletes of the Vernon High School are preparing for another step on their sports slate. Under coaches Bill Ladner and Miss Madge Price, the boys and girls are training vigorously and constantly, hoping to carry Vernon colors over the finish line ahead of other performers at the Okanagan Valley High School Track Meet scheduled to be held in Kelowna on Saturday, May 21.

The elimination trials for this important school affair will take place on Tuesday in the form of the country students versus city students track meet in Polson Park. Sprinters, jumpers and hurdlers will comprise teams for the country and city who will contest for honors on a point basis. Outstanding athletes at this gathering will represent the Vernon School at the Valley meet.

The students and City Parks Board have both pitched in to make Polson Park a top track field as well as one of the best ball parks in the Valley. Besides the sprintways which have been dug and cindered in a position where they will not damage the ball field, a pole vaulting pit has been prepared so as to complete the track and field events.

If the necessary funds can be raised, Vernon winners at the Okanagan tournament will be sent to the B.C. High School championships slated to take place in Nanaimo on May 27 and 28.

The Vernon school is planning most of its hopes on the work of Mark Phillips in the Valley meet. He specializes in the 100-yard dash and the 220. The record for the 100-yard sprint is 10.2 seconds, and for the 440 54.2 seconds. Best mile time made in the Valley is 4:34 minutes.

Dick Douglas, well known in basketball and baseball circles, is the man destined to set a new high jump mark. At present, the Valley record is five feet six and three quarter inches. During practice sessions, Douglas has jumped five foot seven inches.

Bill Yakimovich and Marshall Wynnychek are the pole vaulting artists who will attempt to break the existing record of 10 feet 8 1/2 inches.

There is a good chance that a new discus record will be set at the Valley affair, as Ken Lemeshuk and

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A suggestion was put forth, again by the Kamloops delegates, concerning the question of inter-provincial playdowns. Dr. Hughes said a team from the Okanagan could not travel across Canada for play-offs in the event they won the Coy Cup. "It would cost \$12,000 to win the Coy Cup and the Edmonton Journey Trophy," he said.

A resolution will be submitted to the C.A.H.A. requesting that only the Western Canada finals be staged in B.C. The Manitoba winners would travel west, playing the different provincial winners, then, if successful, meet the B.C. champions with the majority of the final games being played in the home arena of the Coy Cup winner. This was agreed upon by all the delegates.

The meeting continued for some three hours with the delegates questioning the president in rapid order. The main point covered was the travelling allowance provided for each travelling club. "Why should the senior A teams get \$240 a day and the senior B or intermediate clubs receive only half of this?" said Dr. Hughes.

Mr. Becker shook his head, pointing out that this could only be explained by the fact that the Senior A and Junior A hockey leagues bring in the most revenue for the C.A.H.A. "In this method the smaller towns are given an opportunity to have hockey. The C.A.H.A. definitely can't pay wages," he answered.

In giving a financial report on the Coy Cup playdowns, Mr. Becker revealed the rebates for the participating teams were the greatest in history of the Coy Cup. The only loss was in the Kimberley versus Trail semi-final played in Kimberley.

The Kimberley-Vernon semi-final showed a net profit of \$1,199.25; the White Horse-Nanaimo, \$969.37; and the final between Kimberley and Nanaimo was the biggest with \$1,473.32. The Lumby-Queensel series netted \$306.85.

The distribution of the refundable portion sees a bonus of \$95.27 paid to each team. Number of games played and amounts received are as follows:

Trail, three games, \$285.81; Whitehorse, two games, \$190.54; Vernon, three games, \$285.81; Kimberley, nine games, \$857.43; Nanaimo, five games, \$476.35; Lumby, one game, \$95.27; Queensel, two games, \$190.54.

Discard Import Rule
Again, Dr. Hughes, of Kamloops, gave the meeting something to think about. He suggested, if the rest of the league was agreeable, to throw open the rule on imports for three years. "Let's try to build the best possible hockey for the paying public," he urged.

This idea was quickly squashed by the Kelowna and Vernon representatives who agreed that four imports and four ex-senior players were enough to build a team around. They received the support of Mr. Becker and Mr. Small.

"We had a well balanced league last year," said the president, "and if things go the same, this year will be even better."

The question of "stealing" players from a city which brought the players in and footed the bills caused the next stir. Bill Hayward, of Vernon, referred to the case of Al Lafcoe, who was brought to Vernon from Rossland last season. "We paid expenses for him and his family besides other expenses and then Kelowna comes along and offers him something better."

Ken Stewart was quick to answer that the hockey team of Kelowna had not bargained for Lafcoe and no decision has been made whether he will play hockey there, or not. "The Jacques club brought him to Kelowna," Stewart said.

The following resolutions were agreed upon by the delegates and will be submitted by Mr. Becker to the C.A.H.A. at its annual meeting:

1. Residence rule will be extended from December 25 to January 15, so as to give the players a chance to spend Christmas at home before reporting to their clubs.

2. The Western Canada finals be played in B.C. with the Coy Cup winners getting a "bye" into the finals.

3. The import rule be left the same as last year, four imports, four ex-seniors, and two juniors from the same association allowed to each team.

4. The Coy Cup winners be allowed to strengthen by three play-

ers from this branch for inter-provincial playdowns.

5. That the question of an east-west Dominion final be discussed and tried this season.

6. Each team be allowed to sign 18 players and that expenses be provided for such while travelling.

Help the Kids

In closing, Mr. Becker paid tribute to the work of Mr. Fullford and the league, stating: "You have done much for hockey, but more care should be given to your minor ranks."

Delegates attending were: Art Houston, manager Kamloops Elks; Dr. Ralph Hughes, executive, Kamloops Elks; Morris Cranston, president of Kamloops Elks; Gordon Muttie, secretary Vernon Canadians; Hazel Nolan, executive Vernon Canadians; Bill Hayward, manager Vernon Canadians; F. I. Fitzpatrick, vice-president Valley League; Bill Spears, executive, Kelowna Packers; H. Barnett, executive, Kelowna Packers; Ken Stewart, coach, Kelowna Packers; Claude Small, referee-in-chief; Frank Becker, president of B.C.A.H.A.; Charles Fullford, president of the Mainline-Okanagan League; and Ed Goss, secretary-treasurer of the loop.

A president for the 1949-50 season will be appointed before June 15. As the presidency rotates each year, this season's president will be from Kelowna. He will choose his own secretary-treasurer. Dr. Ralph Hughes, of Kamloops, was elected vice-president.

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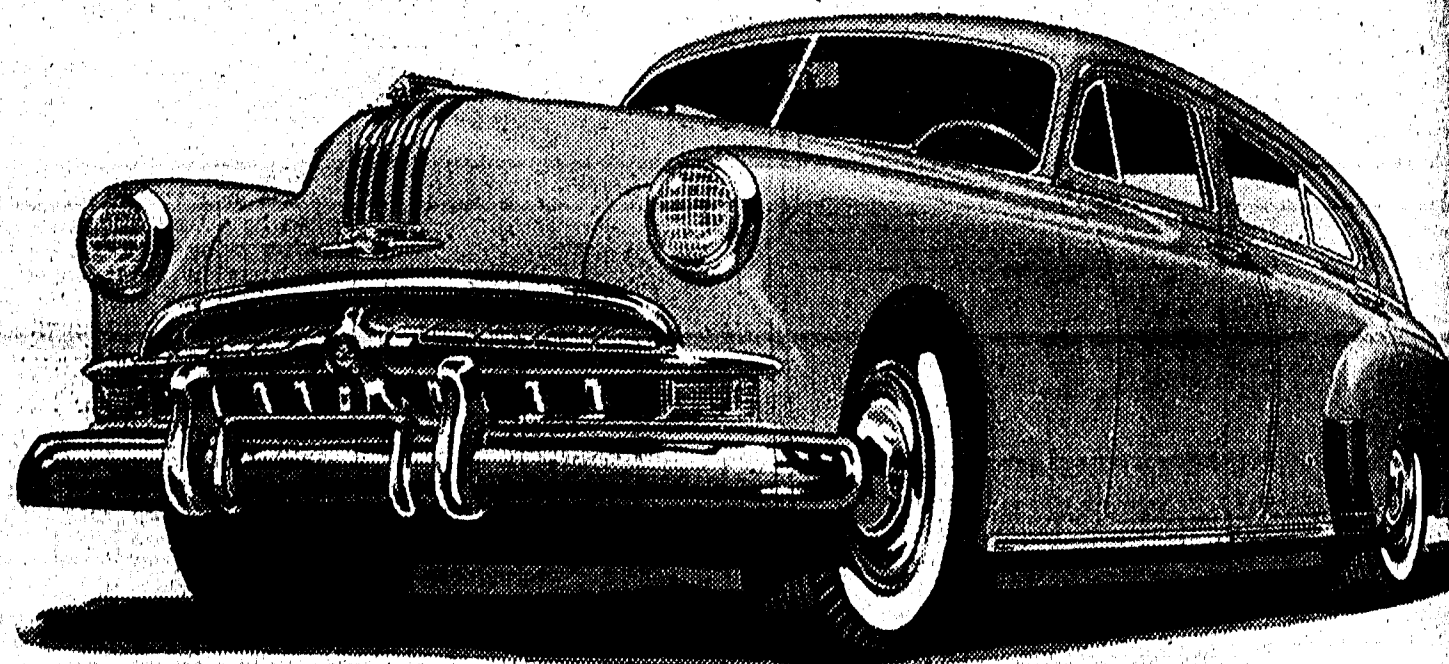
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Wadsworth Sensational In V.N.A.C. Big Ball Triumph

Veteran Harold Wadsworth had as perfect a ball game as one would see in the major leagues on Tuesday night in Polson Park. Pitching for the V.N.A.C. of the City League, not only did he win the game, but also he limited the Lavington squad to three scattered hits, struck out 10 batters and topped off the day with a perfect game at bat, clouting two singles and three doubles in five trips to the plate. His sensational performance at the plate led the V.N.A.C. to a sided 15-1 trouncing of the visitors.

Thursday, the V.N.A.C. will tangle with the Timber in the third game of the Baseball League. The Wolves defeated 2-1 by Jim's Build-up the season's opener.

Today evening's game was the V.N.A.C. The city players wielding mighty bats and the Lavington nine did stop them. Although the hits slammed out 18 hits, the for the Lavington poor was not entirely the fault of the pitchers. The fielders committed more than half a dozen errors and failed to touch Wadsworth's offerings with any effect.

National jumped into a 6-0 lead in the initial frame and continued onslaught, scoring four, two, two and one in the second, third, fifth, sixth and seventh frames respectively. The hero chalked up against them runs column came in the inning.

Anderson started the game mound for Lavington but went to the showers early in the game in favor of Mac Kawas. Vern Dahl finished the

Lavington run was scored in the fifth frame when George Anchored first base via an error. s knocked home by Rex

ny Hryciuk and Fred Smith second in the hitting department with three bingles each. Bill Ingalls and Bill Peters credited with a pair of hits. Hryciuk knocked a triple in the seventh inning.

Wing Time Selecting Men For Ball Debut

Mr. Nuyens, manager of Nick's team's entry in the Interior League, could do nothing to make his head in bewilderment when asked who will make the starting nine against Kam-Y.O. in the opening game of the interior schedule to be played at the railway city on Sunday. "I have a wealth of material which to choose and every one is a good prospect," said the manager. "When I get the final selection the team should be considerably stronger than last year's team. The players will be chosen by Friday," he added.

Veterans Form Community Club; Plan Ball Loop

The last two weeks have seen the formation and rapid growth of a new organization, the Lakeview Community League, which officials hope will become one of Vernon's most active community efforts. The residents of the Central Mortgage and Housing homes and of the Veterans' homes held a general meeting recently and elected the following executive pro-tem to promote this project: Don Warner, chairman; Owen Karn, secretary; treasurer; Doug Wright, Blake Caruthers and Ernie Thompson, committee.

The organization of a men's softball league will be the initial undertaking of the committee. A work party has fixed up a diamond on the southeast corner of Lakeview Park and erected a wire netting back-stop. The diamond will be kept in top condition by the Parks Board.

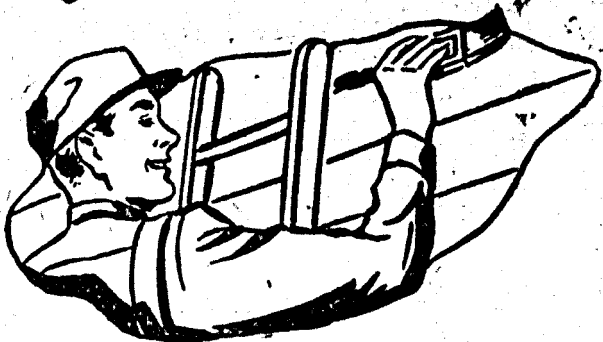
The committee hopes that a four or five team men's league will soon swing into action with a full season's schedule.

As soon as the men's league is fully organized, a women's league will be formed. The committee plans to have a woman representative who will help to establish this part of the program. In an effort to raise money to purchase the necessary equipment, honorary membership cards to the Lakeview Community League are being issued and the present time members are busy canvassing all residents of the area. A second general meeting will be held shortly at which a full slate of officers will be elected. The object of the Association is to foster and promote any projects that will benefit the community as a whole.

Navy will open its 1949 football schedule with a game at Los Angeles against Southern California on Sept. 24. In one day, 175,000 gallons of gasoline are consumed at La Guardia Field.

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Tonight's Table Tennis Tourney Draws Made Up

The draws for the Vernon City Open Table Tennis Tournament to be held in the Parish Hall, All Saints' Church and not in the basement of the St. James Church as previously announced, tonight, Thursday, and Friday have been released by Herb Gray, chairman of the meet.

Draws for Tonight, Thursday:
Eight o'clock: men's handicap singles: D. Evans vs. H. Kagetsu; women's singles, P. France vs. M.

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Hopping, 8:30 o'clock: men's open singles, H. Gray vs. G. Yoshihara; mixed doubles, P. France and Y. Hamakawa vs. A. Bohnen and A. Husband. 9 o'clock: men's handicap singles, A. Bohnen vs. R. Shaw; men's doubles, J. Kawaguchi and Y. Hamakawa vs. B. Simms and D. Evans. 9:30 o'clock: women's singles, A. Husband vs. J. Husband; men's open singles, G. Craig vs. J. Kawaguchi. 10 o'clock: men's handicap, B. Simms vs. B. dePhyffer; men's doubles, H. Gray and N. Sages vs. G. Craig and B. dePhyffer.

Draws for Friday Night:
Semi-finals and finals in all events.

The Hooper Trophy, donated by Hooper's Sporting Shop will be awarded the winner in the men's open singles. This will be for annual competition.

The Palmer Trophy, donated by Capitol Motors, will be presented for annual competition to the winner of the women's open singles.

Riddles are one of the oldest forms of humor.

Fish Bag Limit Argued by Westwold Board of Trade

WESTWOLD, May 2.—Several lively discussions highlighted a well-attended Board of Trade meeting at Pillar Lake on Monday evening of last week. President Albert Moser, who attended the B.C. Interior Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association in Kamloops recently, gave a report to the members.

Mr. Moser felt that several resolutions arising at the game convention were of definite interest to the members. He thought the resolution concerning bag limits for fish, as proposed by the convention, was a detriment to real tourist trade promotion. He visualized a tourist coming from thousands of miles away as indignant at being allowed to take home "a mere handful of speckled beauties."

Mr. Moser contended that with a fully planned and adequately staffed hatchery industry in the province, the Game Department could fill the lakes with fish from one end of B.C. to the other. He declared it was possible to propagate enough fingerlings artificially to give every sport fisherman, local and non-resident, a much bigger daily bag limit than proposed in the convention resolution.

Be More Alert

The president agreed the Game Department was doing a splendid job with the limited resources and staff at its disposal. He declared the businessmen in the province should be more alert to any proposal that would hinder the flow of tourists.

A protest resolution will be sent from the Westwold-Parkland Valley Board of Trade to the proper authorities and support of the Okanagan, Mainline and Associated Boards of Trade will be sought to give full expression on the matter.

Mr. Moser and secretary J. R. L. Clementon were appointed delegates to attend the regional conference of the Okanagan-Mainline body in Kelowna on May 12 and 13.

Further work is to be done by Edward Gotobed towards gathering and preparing historical information concerning Falkland to be sent to an interested party in Falkland, Scotland.

Joe Bulman has quite a display of interesting and informative pictures, both historical and documentary, which are to form a descriptive panel at the Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition next week.

Hosts for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. George Brydon, of China Valley. The evening concluded with a lunch.

Permits Needed For Camping or Burning Fires

Sportmen and farmers intending to light fires for camping or burning uses should be sure that they have first obtained a permit from the Forestry Department. The fire hazard law went into effect on Sunday and continues until September 30.

The permits are free and obtainable from the Forestry Department in the Vernon Court House, and in the Coldstream, Lumby and Armstrong Municipalities offices for residents of those areas. Vernon residents may also secure these permits at sporting goods stores in the city or from honorary fire wardens.

On a request from a police officer, fire or game wardens and any forestry personnel, these permits must be shown. Penalties are imposed for infractions of this order.

About 50 permits were issued from the local Forestry Department during 1945.

Lawn Bowlers Name Executive; Plan Busy Year

League play in the Vernon Lawn Bowling Club will get underway on Thursday, May 19, on the Polson Park greens.

At the annual meeting of the club held recently, Charles Griffin was elected president and Walter Oliver vice-president. H. C. Wade was appointed secretary and the executive and committee heads are as follows: games, K. W. Kinnard, P. W. Welch, J. E. Briard; publicity, J. E. Briard; reception, E. B. Winstanley; greens, C. Portman, F. Hensche; maintenance, W. Oliver, B. Ross.

The dates for the Interior Lawn Bowling Tournament were set for July 1, 2 and 4 at Penticton. Entries for this meet close on June 27.

Five competitions with cups for each will be featured in both men's and women's play. The Grand Challenge Cup and Vancouver Daily Province Cup are posted for the four men's rinks competitions, and the Howe Cup for the four women's rinks games.

The Mayor Angus Cup and the McCulloch Cup are up for competition in the men's and women's doubles, while the Ealing and Wilson Cups go to the top women's and men's individual score.

The Hodgson Cup will be contested for in the mixed doubles and the Mixed Triples Cup for the mixed event which comprises two men and one woman on each team.

The Veterans' Cup will go to the winning team of doubles for veterans.

Pin Points

MIXED COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE

Men's individual high single, Del Thomas, 384; men's individual high three, Del Thomas, 917; women's individual high single, Kay Laface, 315; women's individual high three, Lil Sawayama, 747; team high single, Weir Brothers, 1,151; team high three, Sigale Brothers, 3,011.

Big Six Averages—Men:

Del Thomas 225
Ian Weir 221
Bus Barnett 211
Sam Kawayuchi 206
Stan Chambers 201
Tony Smooh 190

Big Six Averages—Women:

Faulline Kellow 174
Dot Lookerby 160
Marge Angles 160
Lil Sawayama 160
Madge Griffin 164
Muriel Lawson 162

Team Standings:

The top six teams will be included in the playoffs.
Weir Brothers, 59; Sutherlands, 58; Sigale Brothers, 57; Fort Yorks, 55; Nolans, 52; D.H.L., 52; Credit Union, 51; Malkins, 49; Lucky Striker, 48; Noosa "A", 46; Sammartino, 42; MacKenzie, 38; Pythians, 38; B.O., 37; Noosa "A", 30; Comets, 30; P.W., 34; Pacific, 34; Bombs, 33; Little Chiefs, 31; Fort Garry, 28; Atoms, 15.

Prizes in the open bowling competition conducted by the Del Mar Bowling Alleys each month were awarded to Helen Krowchuk, who knocked the pins over for a 371 score, and to Alec Mikolajow, with a 370 count for April.

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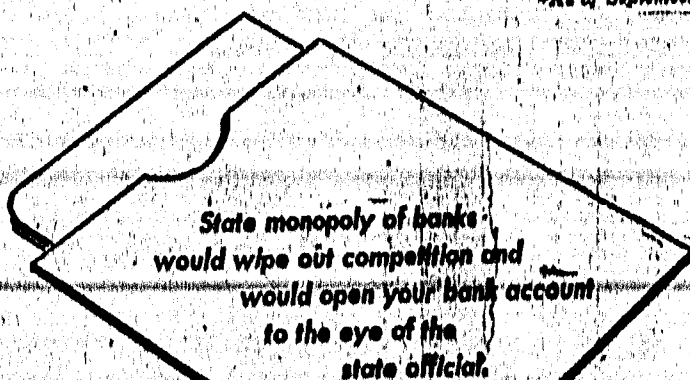
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Representatives from the nine fish and game zones of British Columbia gathered at Harrison Hot Springs on Thursday, Friday and Saturday to discuss, amend or adopt resolutions presented from the various zones of the province. During the three-day convention, the delegates listened to guest speakers from other provinces of Canada and game associations in the United States, talk on the game confronting game commissions today.

The zones at the convention were Interior, East Kootenay, Okanagan, Grand Forks-Midland, Vancouver, Fraser, North Central, North and Southern. The two farthest came from Dawson Creek and Fort St. John.

The visiting guest speaker was G. R. Furness, director of the Washington State Game Commission. Don Clarke, Washington State Game Commission, and Harold Witham, game superintendent of the Washington State Game Commission, were also present.

The highlight of the convention was the announcement by General Gordon Wismer that additional money would be paid on bounties for coyotes. The \$4 bounty is paid seasonally at present throughout the province.

The Water Act also was discussed. Power companies

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High Water Does Damage Lumby Area

LUMBY, May 3.—High water has done considerable damage to property near the junction of Harris and Jones Creeks.

Some \$30 was raised for the swimming pool project from the play "Safety First" presented in the Community Hall last week.

Frances Halleran has been chosen Stampede Princess representing the Lions Club. The Teen-Agers chose Fay Genter. All committees for the stampede are now putting in all of their spare time preparing for this annual stampede event which promises to be "bigger and better" this year.

Two cars full of Lumby citizens attended the Liberal meeting held in Vernon on Thursday night of last week. Lumby expects to have eight representatives at the Coalition nominating convention to be held this afternoon, Thursday.

Cecil Willis returned to Lumby from Vancouver this week following a buying trip.

Mrs. A. F. Andre returned to Lumby on Saturday after spending a holiday with her daughter in California.

Mrs. T. P. Moore is in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital for a minor operation.

A. Bonnycastle, of Vancouver, was in Lumby on Monday on business.

Mr. C. Catt and family have moved to their new home on the Catt subdivision.

C. J. Christen and son, Chic, have returned from Vancouver. While at the Coast they witnessed a car theft and subsequent arrest.

No Driver's License

Mrs. Vernon Mehls, of this city, paid a fine of \$10 and costs in the Police Office on Saturday morning on a charge of driving without a driver's license.

Deep Creek Landmark Since 1906 Removed

DEEP CREEK, May 4.—A landmark since 1906, the Deep Creek Hall is being pulled down this week by local residents. Oldtimers recall the hall being used as a school and later as a church and community centre. Miss Greenwood, of Salmon Arm, was the first school teacher and the late Mrs. Jamieson and the late Mrs. Waby were the first Sunday School teachers.

Mrs. M. Hanson resumed her teaching at Deep Creek on Monday with over 30 pupils in attendance. Howard Johnston returned to his home in this district on Sunday. He will resume his teaching duties at Martin's Corner.

Mrs. Jack Enoch with Donna and Bobby, of Sardinia, were weekend visitors in Deep Creek. They were accompanied on their trip by Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Enoch.

Rev. C. G. MacKenzie, of Endersby, held his regular church service in the new Deep Creek Hall on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Spletter and W. Rosmer, of Salmon Arm, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Winterhalder, of Deep Creek.

Mrs. W. Gosnell spent a few days at her Loon Lake home before returning to her residence in Vancouver.

Mrs. M. Smiley left on Monday for Courtenay.

Rev. C. G. MacKenzie held his regular showing of National Film Board movies in the new hall on Tuesday night.

Several friends attended the surprise party held on Wednesday of last week for Mr. and Mrs. L. Silver.

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The Coalition Government, formed in 1941, combined the resources and energies of the people of British Columbia in the execution of the war effort.

Post-war problems of reconstruction and re-establishment made it advisable to continue this combination in order to speed the re-establishment of our own veterans and the many more who were taking their discharge in British Columbia, although natives of other parts of Canada.

The successful record of this Government during these trying periods, stands as ample testimony to the wisdom of the united front during these times of economic crisis.

The population of British Columbia has grown more rapidly than any other province in Canada. We have absorbed nearly a quarter of a million additional people in the last ten years and if present rate of increase continues, British Columbia will have 1,500,000 people by 1959.

The people of our province have watched this fantastic growth and many of them realize that an even bigger problem faces us if we are to successfully emerge economically sound in the years to come.

British Columbia is today at the crossroads of growth and development. We WANT more people. We must be able to give them and following generations a real chance to live and work in the best province in Canada. One false step could mean chaos for an economy that is straining at the leash, burdened as it is with an immense growth of population.

Let's face the facts squarely; we must weigh carefully what road to follow if we are to march ahead to the great heritage that is destined to be ours, and which we have hoped and worked for.

Industrial and agricultural growth must be encouraged and guided meticulously to ensure that we keep pace with the rising demand for jobs for our people.

As British Columbians, we are proud of our high standard of Social Assistance. We will continue to set the pace to assure better health values for all our people.

To continue the development of British Columbia, we must guarantee that our province will be a bulwark of free enterprise, for a free people.

Some people are determined that we shall take a backward step. They demand a Socialist state of so-called "planned economy." We have but to look at the "Saskatchewan experiment" to see a glaring example of Government attempts to manage expropriated businesses. The Socialist administration of that province already has closed down most of the original industries it seized, simply because Governments are not geared to compete with privately-owned organizations. The theory that there are huge profits to be made by Government-controlled companies has proven a complete fallacy. Socialist planners have "killed the goose that could have laid the golden egg" and even now admit their error by beckoning private capital to invest and manage provincial resources.

The Coalition Government of British Columbia believes that the tax burden for Social Services should fall proportionately on both industry and the people. Only a partnership of these two elements can insure a fully rounded-out and expanding social aid programme. Efficiently managed, free enterprise industries contribute substantially to social services through taxes, thus reducing the share that must be contributed by the people. Bureaucratic mismanagement of Government-controlled industry is a burden on the people.

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The latter programme has, and will produce jobs for the men and women who are already here, and for the boys and girls of new generations as they leave our schools by the thousands each year.

Yes, we are at the crossroads of our existence. British Columbia must go ahead . . . It can't go back. Your Government feel this responsibility deeply and believe it is above and beyond party lines for many months to come.

The future and welfare of all the people in British Columbia must come first. In a few weeks you will be asked to decide not the future of any political party or parties, but the future of British Columbia. The choice is yours.

In succeeding advertisements, we are going to tell you what your Coalition Government has done, is doing, and will do in the future to ensure the greatness of this province in years to come. You will read with pride, a saga of planning and achievement, unmatched in North America today.

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When Miss Jessie Topham Brown held her annual exhibition of her pupils' work a few weeks ago, voluntary donations by guests and patrons amounted to \$25. This sum was sent to Dr. Lotta Hitehmanov, Canadian director of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada.

Miss Brown received an acknowledgment from Dr. Hitehmanov this week, which runs as follows:

"What a very faithful group of supporters we have in you and the members of your studio! I was delighted to receive your letter, with the enclosed cheque for \$25, for which we are returning our official receipt. With it goes my warm thanks to you and all your students."

Miss Brown thought that those who donated so generously on the occasion of her exhibition, would like to know their gifts were appreciated.

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Spotlight On South Okanagan

Word that Mr. W. A. C. Bennett will be a candidate for the coalition nomination in the neighboring riding of South Okanagan is very welcome news indeed.

On the purely political side, Mr. Bennett's approaching tussle with the C.C.F.—providing, of course, he secures the nomination—will mean one of the most interesting political battles in all of British Columbia's forty-eight ridings, in the weeks before the election on June 15.

Opposing Mr. Bennett, or the coalition nominee, is Mr. Tom Wilkinson, also of Kelowna, a widely-known agricultural leader and certainly the strongest candidate the C.C.F. could produce in South Okanagan.

Here occurs an interesting phenomenon of the socialist party, serving to underline one of the many very real differences between parties of socialism and of free enterprise.

The C.C.F. is a party vote and much less emphasis is placed upon the individual calibre of candidates than in the case of either Conservatives or Liberals. The socialist candidate—though members undoubtedly strive to select capable men—is not so important as the gospel he advocates. The candidate must first of all be a socialist. Evidently his experience in business or public affairs counts for less than a thoroughgoing belief in doctrinaire socialism.

This situation is strikingly illustrated in North Okanagan, where Mr. Len Wood, of Armstrong, who was the previous unsuccessful candidate and a man well known throughout the riding, missed out in his convention. Chosen instead was a comparatively unknown, younger man, untried in any larger spheres of public activities. And yet the new candidate, Mr. W. A. Monk, may be expected to garner all the party's ordinary votes.

Should Mr. Bennett be selected, South Okanagan will be the scene of a lively struggle, for here will be pitted two practical men. Mr. Bennett had an excellent record of service to his constituency in his previous terms as member prior to his excursion into the federal sphere. His aggressiveness has reportedly brought him into conflict with some of his party's leaders, but a member who will fight against odds for his constituents and in what he considers to be the best interest of his riding can often produce very valuable results. Certainly Mr. Bennett can be accounted no unswerving subject of the party line.

Another Step Perfected

Almost unnoted on the world scene in these days of tension between east and west and of disaster in unhappy China, was last week's meeting of Prime Ministers of the British Commonwealth. In London were gathered the chief political figures or their immediate deputies of all Dominions and Commonwealths under the British flag.

The issue was a grave one. Can a sovereign, self-governing state desiring to become a republic, remain within the framework as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations? The point at issue was India, which is shortly to become a republic. When this happens the King will be replaced as head of the Indian state by a president and the Crown will vanish from that country. But while about to become a republic, India, as represented by the present government, desires to remain a member of the Commonwealth.

The Prime Ministers—Canada was represented by the Hon. L. B. Pearson, Minister of External Affairs—had to answer this question: Can a republic be a member of the Commonwealth? The answer was in the affirmative.

In a statement issued on Thursday of last week, the conference, after noting that India is soon to become a "sovereign independent republic," declared that:

"The governments of other countries of the Commonwealth, the basis of whose membership of the Commonwealth is not hereby changed, accept and recognize India's continuing membership in accordance with the terms of this declaration."

The terms are set out in the following paragraph: "The government of India have, however, declared and affirmed India's desire

City Spring

On this vast waste of concrete, steel, and glass,
sun sparkles, noticing
no differences from pillowed meadow.
Prim maples, fenced by wire cages,
reach for soil,
and put out pointed buds.
New faces match new hats;
new lifting steps, new shoes.
In tilted wooden box on wheels,
a garden fit for kings,
glowing with violet, fern, and daffodil,
fragrant with scent of summer,
gently brings the heart-flowers
into brighter, gayer bloom.

—CAROL EARLE CHAPIN

to continue her full membership of the Commonwealth of Nations and her acceptance of the King as the symbol of the free association of its independent member nations, and as such the head of the Commonwealth."

This is perfected another step in the long history and struggle of the formation of the British Commonwealth of Nations. The London meeting is a final answer to those advocates of the close integration of the Commonwealth on an empire basis. The largely latent power and wealth of India is now firmly enrolled on the side of free peoples freely associated in the Commonwealth. The Commonwealth is a strong link for world peace and world stability today so sorely needed. Any other course would have resulted in the inevitable breakup of this great association of peoples.

From the FILES of THE VERNON NEWS

Ten Years Ago—Thursday, May 4, 1929

Today, Thursday, ratepayers are going to the polls to vote on a \$45,000 bylaw to provide for Vernon a new sewage disposal plant. W. R. McGaw, Vernon's most outstanding pioneer, died this morning at his residence on Pleasant Valley Road. The City Council on Monday night moved towards a reorganization of the Vernon Fire Brigade by tentatively engaging three drivers instead of two that have been employed for years. Another mystery involving a Trinity Valley man has been added to the two other disappearances that in recent years have held the attention of the north Okanagan. During the past couple of months there have been rumors of a new fruit brokerage alignment in the Prairie Provinces, with the possibility that Vancouver will ultimately be included. Nick Aleks is elected president and William Clayton vice-president of the City Softball League. There will be a six-team league: Nationals, High School, Oddfellows, Coldstream, Home Oilers and Woodskies.

Twenty Years Ago—Thursday, May 9, 1919

There will be but one United Church in Vernon after June 9. The final meetings in connection with the amalgamation of St. Andrew's United and Central United were held on Monday night. Plans are under way to unite the various societies within the churches. Voting on the power bylaw between the Coldstream Municipality and the West-Canadian Hydro Electric Corp., Ltd., will be held on May 21. North Okanagan roads will be greatly improved as a result of a program of operations announced by F. W. Kennedy, M.L.A. Saturday is National Hospital Day and the doors of Jubilee Hospital will be thrown open to the general public. Vernon's May Queen, Miss Margaret Cochrane, will be crowned in Polson Park on Thursday, May 16. Her maids of honor are Miss Olwen Davies and Miss Myrtle Fallow.

Thirty Years Ago—Thursday, May 8, 1919

Strong efforts are being made to have the militia of British Columbia reorganized on different lines. The 2nd O.M.R. would take the place of the 30th B.O. Horse with headquarters in Vernon. It is the intention of the local branch of the Navy League to place a couple of rowboats on Kalamalka in charge of a competent instructor. Unveiling of the honor roll of the members of the Fire Brigade, ex-Assistant Chief Fred Ouming and Donald McKay, was held at the Fire Hall Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas Keyworth. S. A. Muir and C. O. have sold out their business to Messrs. Barker and Clark, who will assume control on May 15. The Vernon Creamery is receiving cream three times weekly and paying 65 cents per pound.

Forty Years Ago—Thursday, May 6, 1909

The exceptional weather this spring has made all brush and undergrowth as dry as tinder. Aided by a high wind on Monday two disastrous fires swept this district. One roared between Enderby and Mara and the other between Lumby and Shuswap Falls. Some settlers' shacks, hay and pasture land were burned, and livestock was reported lost. The calamity is by far the most serious of its kind ever visited on Enderby and Lumby areas. At two important meetings of the City Council this week, decisions were to withdraw the waterworks and school bylaws pending further study of both measures. Charles J. Hurt's application for the position of assessor, offering to do the work for \$200, was referred to the financial committee. Judge Spinks will retire from the bench next December.

Fifty Years Ago—Thursday, May 4, 1899

Mayor Shattford announced at a special meeting of the City Council that, owing to ill health, he would be forced to relinquish his post. Nominations for the new mayor will be held on May 8 and an election on May 11. In the interval, Alderman Carey is acting Mayor. In celebration of the 80th anniversary of the founding of the order, Vernon Valley Lodge I.O.O.F. held a most enjoyable social evening in Cameron's Hall on Friday. A black bear which for several years has been creating a great deal of trouble at the Coldstream Ranch was caught in a trap this week. The animal had evidently thrived on a pork diet as he was in fine condition and measured over seven and one-half feet in length, weighing about 500 pounds. O. F. Costerton, Vernon's postmaster, has been appointed to the position of clerk in the Provincial Government office.

Chief electoral officer Jules Castonguay points to the seal which will replace old-fashioned padlocks on all ballot boxes in the next general election. The seals, each bearing a number, are said to be fool proof and any attempt to tamper with the boxes will be noticeable at a glance.



Most Anything

By STUART FLEMING

It is a sad and unhappy thought but it happens to be true that the fabulous charms of the Okanagan Valley have ensnared the attentions of the criminal fraternity. What's worse, the attraction is increasing. Sergeant Len Backler, head of the Vernon detachment of the Provincial Police, is my authority for this statement—and what better could you ask than that?

All sorts of factors contribute to the Okanagan's criminal allure. For one thing, the climate makes it possible to indulge in felonious employment and at the same time acquire a suntan. Then also we of the Okanagan are looked upon as "easy pickings." We habitually leave our homes unlocked when we are absent for extended periods. We leave the ignition keys in our cars with careless abandon. Our merchants are almost unique in their willingness to cash cheques for almost anyone who happens to come along. We are, in fact, too trusting and friendly for our own good—and police files prove it. The Okanagan has become the happy hunting ground of thievery and until the people of the Okanagan realize that they are by their present casualness inviting victimization it will remain so. It is a wicked, wicked world and we in it but lambs. There is no real reason, though, why we can't take a few precautions to avoid being fleeced.

One of the most notable characteristics of the people of Vernon is their blind disregard for the rules and regulations which are supposed to govern the movement of pedestrian and vehicular traffic. A brief excursion into that other world of "Barnard Avenue on a Saturday night" is one of the most nerve shattering experiences to which human endurance can be subjected. We are, of course, somewhat conditioned to it by our daily exposure to "Barnard Avenue at noon" but consider the plight of the stranger who may happen upon either phenomenon without prior indoctrination. It could prove fatal to him.

I have often wondered why our traffic fatality rate is so low and have finally come to the conclusion that it is because everyone ignores every regulation simultaneously and continuously. One defection tends to cancel out another with the result that there is a form of order in the chaos.

Last Saturday evening I was witness to a most distressing episode. As I stood in quiet reflection upon the scene of confusion before me, my attention was drawn by the efforts of a man who was trying to cross Barnard Avenue in the pedestrian lane at 30th Street. He paused momentarily at the curb, looked carefully in as many directions as caution seemed to deem advisable and stepped briskly forward. He had gone no more than two paces when a car loomed menacingly close and he retreated rapidly. His second attempt was no more successful than the first. On the third try he gained the middle of the avenue but became marooned there by the double stream of traffic. I could see that he was beginning to lose his nerve and I almost gave way to the impulse to shout words of encouragement. But it was his problem and he would have to solve it in his own way or go under. He went under. With a heartrending cry of despair his resolution broke and he hurtled wildly toward the side of the street from which he had departed. On gaining the comparative safety of the pavement, he thrust his arms desperately around the nearest lamp standard and hung there as great sobs wracked his body. Tears rolled down his cheeks as he whimpered repeatedly "I can't do it. I'll never be able to do it." The cruellest thing of all was the reaction of the passing throng. They placed the poor man's pitiable appearance and the revulsion that revealed itself in their hasty glances was shameful to see. Thus wrongly judged was one whose gentle spirit could not withstand the terrors of a street gone mad.

Great Wisdom

There are a few great documents, which contain so much wisdom that they can bear endless repeating. Here is an example.

"I place economy among the first and most important virtues, and public debt as the greatest of dangers to be feared. To preserve our independence, we must not let our rulers load us with perpetual debt. We must make our choice between economy and liberty, or profusion and servitude. If we run into such debts, we must be taxed in our meat and drink, in our necessities and in our amusements. If we can prevent the government from wasting the labors of the people under the pretense of caring for them, they will be happy. The same prudence, which in private life would forbid our paying our money for unexplained projects, forbids it in the disposition of public money. We are endeavoring to reduce the government to the practice of rigid economy to avoid burdening the people and arming the Magistrate with a patronage of money which might be used to corrupt the principles of our government."

We Need More of This

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt has just won the first American Award in Human Relations, offered by the Bureau of Intercultural Relations. Nothing seems further removed from the warm, vivid actuality of friendship between people than the abstract term "human relations." Yet those who have seen Mrs. Roosevelt fighting the battle for human rights in the United Nations, unyielding before Russian pressure yet always open-minded, open-hearted, and open-handed towards her opponents, understand a little better the sort of human relations our world of hostile power blocs need so badly. When whole peoples, as well as single individuals, are eligible by their acts for such an award, the world will have moved a long way toward peace.

Infant Mortality

A biography of Sir Truby King, the distinguished doctor who died in 1938 at the age of 80 years, gives interesting figures on the progress made in reducing infant mortality. The infant mortality rate in England is estimated to have been 437 per 1,000 live births in 1740; 360 in 1790 and 240 in 1900. By 1917 the rate in the United Kingdom had fallen to 109. In 1948 it was slightly below 80. Sir Truby devoted his life to this cause. He did most of his work in New Zealand, which has one of the lowest infant mortality rates in the world, but he is given a measure of the credit for the progress made in the last fifty years in other English-speaking countries. —Winnipeg Free Press.

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News of Churches

United Church Mother's Day Services for Family

The Vernon United Church is enlarging on the Mother's Day theme on Sunday and will call it "Family Sunday," round the central figure of all true families and homes, "Mother."
Morning service will be held in the Capitol Theatre at 11 a.m., because the United Church is not large enough to accommodate the congregation anticipated. There are more than 300 Sunday School pupils, and Rev. Gerald W. Payne is inviting their parents to accompany them to next Sunday morning's worship.
Family worship is the core of good home and community living, and for parents and their children to worship as a unit is of great significance and value, states r. Payne.
"Mother's Day" will be the general theme of the service, which will follow the usual pattern, led by the choir, with Mr. Payne delivering the sermon. The devotion of mothers, their function in the home, church and society; love and affection for mother and her role in the pattern of world affairs, will all be stressed.

Mother's Day Reflections

By MAJOR GEORGE CREWE

"Who taught my infant lips to pray,
To love God's holy word and day,
And walk in wisdom's pleasant way?
My mother."

So wrote Jane Taylor many years ago and many thousands today could echo those words. A Christian mother is one of the greatest blessings of which any human can boast.

The writer of Proverbs said: "Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies." Her children arise up and call her blessed. When God sent His Son to earth, He gave Him into the care of a kind, gentle woman, because He, who had created mothers and placed within them that great capacity for love, knew that here was the nearest approach to His own of any human affection. God's love for His Son was far beyond human comprehension, yet He gave Him as a ransom for a sin-cursed world, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

Thousands, millions of people, on this continent, will be remembering Mother next Sunday. Those who are privileged to have Mother still with them, will endeavor to show appreciation for her great love and care. Those who are not so privileged will pay homage to her memory.

But in this, as in many other things, the tendency is to remember the gift and forget the giver. It is right and proper that we should endeavor our mothers to show our appreciation for mother's love, but while we are paying tribute to her should we not remember that greatest of all love, that made motherhood possible? Do we not owe God some debt of gratitude for all the blessings that He has given to us? We thank mother for the home that she filled with love for us and for her care.

The great Creator made the world for mankind to enjoy as our home while we live, and has through Jesus Christ prepared an eternal home for those who love Him and do His will. All He asks in return is that we give Him ourselves. Is it too much that He should expect our love and service?

A young man whom human love had failed in his hour of need wrote:

"Oh love that wilt not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in Thee,
I give Thee back the life I owe,
That in Thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be."

Mother's Day Service At Elim Tabernacle Sunday

Special Mother's Day services will feature all worship periods at Elim Tabernacle on Sunday, Rev. R. J. White, minister, points out that services are now held in the new church, and that the building known as "Elim Chapel," has now been sold.

Season Ends for Men's Club

KELOWNA.—A busy season for the Men's Club of St. Michael and All Angels' Anglican Church concludes tonight, Thursday, with a variety concert in the Parish Hall. Curtain time is 8 o'clock.

Confirmation In City and Lumby Monday, Sunday

Church—CONFIRMATION IN . . .
The rite of confirmation, or the Biblical "laying on of hands," will be solemnized in Vernon next Monday, May 9, in All Saints' Church for Vernon and Colliemont candidates, and in Lumby at the Church of St. James the Less at 8:15 the same evening. Rt. Rev. F. P. Clark, Bishop of Kootenay, will officiate at both services. A social hour, sponsored by the Women's Guild at Lumby, will follow the service there.

A.O.T.S. 1st Annual MINSTREL SHOW

LEGION HALL
June 1 and 2 - 8 p.m.

Armstrong Regular Baptist Church Dedicated Sunday

Dedication services for the newly erected Regular Baptist Church at Armstrong were held on Sunday and Monday. Guest speaker for both days' services was Rev. H. C. Phillips, pastor of the Ruth Morton Regular Baptist Church, Vancouver.

Special musical numbers were rendered at all meetings, when the church was filled to capacity. The completion of the edifice climaxes the achievements of many church members, who have donated time, material and labor. Pastor W. O. McKee is praised for his interest and encouragement, and the dedication services were the climax of months of hard work and endeavor. Sunday services were held at 10:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:20 p.m., and on Monday, a service at 7:45 in the evening.

For a long time the Regular Baptist Church congregation knew that extensive renovation of the existing building, or a new church was inevitable.

In January, 1948, members finally decided to build a new church, and a start was made on the excavation in June. In July the concrete foundation was poured, and shortly afterwards construction was begun. Bill Danallanko was in charge of the work, and with the help of volunteer and paid workers, has pushed the construction to completion. Gifts of time and money by the congregation and others interested made it possible to complete the church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meggitt had long watched a grove of young trees growing, which they hoped one day would supply lumber for the new church. On May 24, 1946, a volunteer crew, with the help of a chain saw, cut some of the trees. The rest were cut later, and all were saved, planed and hauled to the Baptist Church property, providing material for a large part of the framing and sheathing.

Pastor W. O. McKee began his ministry in Armstrong on October 4, 1942.

Although there is some debate on the origin of meteorites, they are probably remains of masses circulating about the sun.

Approximately 30,000,000 automobiles are owned by about 29,000,000 families in the United States.

Mission Caravan Organizer Gives Address Here Sunday

Miss F. H. Eva Hasell, M.B.E., organizer and supervisor of the Canadian Sunday School Caravan Mission, well known in Vernon, will give the address on Sunday morning at All Saints' Anglican Church. Miss Hasell travels through isolated parts of Canada during the summer months in one of the church's Sunday School vans, and

her message regarding the children who are cut off from the amenities of civilization, should prove of interest to all churchgoers.

ARE "NERVES" A SIGN YOU'RE GROWING OLD?

Often as a woman approaches middle life, her nerves get bad, and she accepts this as a sign of age. But why let yourself become edgy, run-down or so nervous you cry without cause—at any time in life? For nearly fifty years, wise women have been meeting this situation happily — by getting plenty of rest, fresh air, wholesome food and by taking Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to build them up. For the Vitamin B₁, iron and other needed minerals in this time-tested tonic help build up your vitality and aid in toning up the entire system—so you can face the future with confidence.

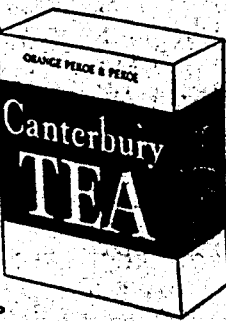
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From a statement by William Green,
President of the American Federation of Labor

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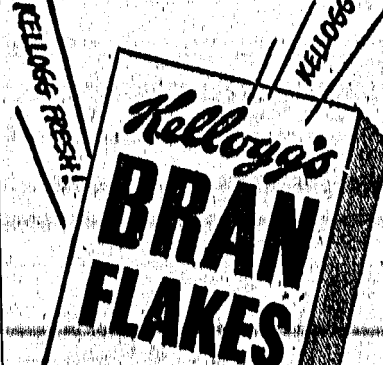
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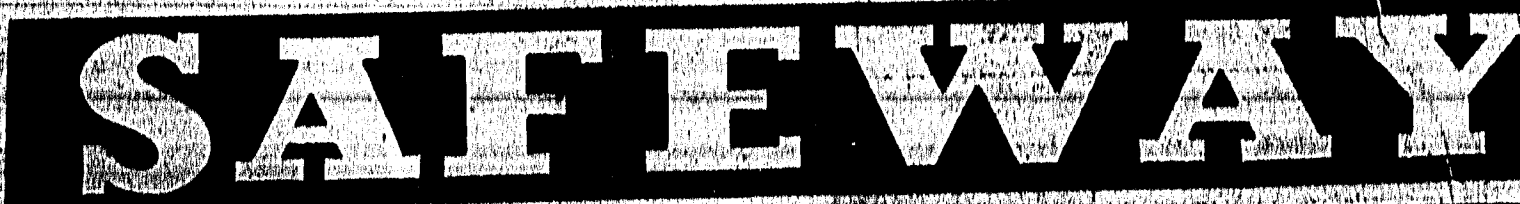
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Lettuce Fresh firm heads 2 lbs. 38c
Tomatoes Red ripe lb. 19c



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Armstrong Legion July 1 Queen Contest Under Way

ARMSTRONG, May 2.—The Canadian Legion July 1 Queen Contest is under way, and the selling of tickets is in full swing. The "Teen Town" and the Armstrong Business and Professional Club are each sponsoring one contestant. A progress report has been placed over the office of Mat Haasen and Sons business in order that the public may be kept up to date on the votes for queen. This year's Dominion Day celebration of the establishment of a high school bursary to be awarded ending scholastic achievement.

Geoffrey Heal left on Friday afternoon for Creston on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tremblay are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on April 21 in the Armstrong Hospital.

No Driver's License

Driving without a driver's license cost Mrs. Mary Hopwood a fine of \$10 and costs when she appeared before Magistrate Frank Smith in City Police Court on Monday.

The offense occurred last week in the city.

The hides of circus elephants are oiled regularly to keep them from cracking.

Kamloops Liberals to Choose Candidate for Federal Election

KAMLOOPS.—Liberals of Kamloops federal constituency will gather on Wednesday afternoon, May 18, to choose their candidate, Charles Spencer, president of the Kamloops Federal Liberal Association, announced this week.

The call to nomination has been mailed.

So far, the only prospective candidate for the nomination is T. J. O'Neill. Mr. O'Neill represented the Kamloops constituency in the House of Commons until defeated at the polls by the sitting member, E. Davis Fulton, Progressive Conservative, at the 1945 election.

The Progressive Conservatives recently re-nominated Mr. Fulton as their standard-bearer. The C.C.F. has taken no formal action, as yet, to nominate a candidate.

Poor Weather Slows Work on Lavington Farms

LAVINGTON, May 2.—Gardeners and farmers are hoping the weather will clear soon as their chores are piling up and they are anxious to get out on the land. Everything is looking well—pastures are green and vegetable crops are showing.

Lavington baseball fans were disappointed on Sunday when the heavy downpour of rain cancelled the game set between Oyama and Lavington. The Oyama team drove up for the contest but had to return without playing.

Mrs. Herbert Ashtman is spending a few days at Winfield as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob White.

Joan and Joyce Warren were recent visitors to the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.

Alan Dave and George Habke, students at the University of British Columbia and Union College, have returned to their homes for the summer holidays.

Mrs. Osborn E. returned to her home on Monday from Vancouver, where she has been visiting for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanaart and their infant daughter are new residents at Lavington. They recently arrived from Holland.

Schools Take Lion's Share of Revelstoke Tax Rate, 48 Mills

REVELSTOKE.—The city tax rate will remain at 48 mills, the same as last year. The City Council decided on the rate at its meeting last week.

The rate is made up as follows: schools 30, general 12.8 and debt 5.2.

Last year the same rate was composed of: schools 24, general 20.3 and debt 3.7.

In order to keep the tax structure the same as last year the Council has pared its general expenditures considerably. The school rate jumped six mills, and this increase is offset by a similar reduction in the general rate.

An indication of how the picture has changed in two years is shown in a comparison of the 1947 rate with that of 1949. In 1947 schools absorbed 13.45 mills, general 24.55, and debt 4 of a 42-mill rate.

Since then city expenses have risen considerably, salaries, wages and general expenses having advanced.



Clean Sweep

These are lottery tickets . . . part of a haul of between 20,000 and 25,000 Irish Sweepstake and Army and Navy tickets, which police said they found in a Montreal automobile. Examining the tickets are Det.-Sgt. Arthur Servant, left, and Det.-Sgt. Albert Harvey, Montreal police.

Vernon's First Exposition Was Staged 53 Years Ago

There were no electric lights in Vernon when this city staged its first exposition 53 years ago, nor any of the amenities of civilization which are now enjoyed. Yet, states W. C. Pound, they were happy days.

They were the prelude to the 1949 Exposition.

The Vernon-Okanagan Exposition Association has dipped into the past to bring forward a display which was exhibited many years ago. It comprises a case of stuffed birds shown by W. C. Pound. The exhibition was held in the Kalamalka Hotel, then in course of construction, in 1893.

This show was opened by Lord Aberdeen, Governor General of Canada, who, with Lady Aberdeen, arrived by train that day in Vernon.

A livestock show was held in conjunction with the event in Girouard's field. This location is now identified as the site of the house occupied for many years by the late Dr. O. Morris, a stone's throw from the old Court House, now the Health-and-Welfare Building, to be opened in conjunction with this year's Exposition by Provincial Government officials.

Moses Lumbly took an active part in staging the show of 1893. A. P. McKenzie won a prize with his pony. W. R. Megaw entered a pacer, and W. F. Cameron entered a fine horse.

Murder Charge Tops Spring Assize List In Kamloops Court

KAMLOOPS.—For the second time in six months Mike Duncan Antoine, Tappen logger, will stand trial for his life when the spring assize court is held at Kamloops starting at 11 a.m. on Monday.

Antoine was sentenced to death by Mr. Justice A. M. Manson last October 29, after he had been convicted of the knife slaying of Daniel Elkins of Williams Lake in a fracas at a hop-pickers' camp on Tranquille road on September 28, 1947.

The death sentence was to have been carried out last January 7, but it was set aside by the Court of Appeal, and re-trial ordered.

Also on the Assize Court's docket are: William J. Hess, on a charge of manslaughter; and William Swain, charged with theft and retaining.

Hess is accused of causing the death of Alva Mullan of Ohehalls, Wash., manager of Kamloops Frozen Food Lockers Ltd. in Kamloops on the night of November 21. He has been free on \$15,000 bail since his committal by Magistrate Arthur Rankin December 3.

Swain is accused of stealing and retaining two small gasoline engines. He chose trial by jury when committed for trial by Magistrate Rankin last month.

George W. Black, Crown Prosecutor at the Spring Assizes will enter the Crown's case in the Hess and Swain trials.

Two New Postage Issues in June

Postmaster General Ernest Bertrand recently announced two new postage issues.

On the official anniversary of the birth of King George VI, June 6, the one-cent to five-cent denominations, inclusive, of postage stamps which bear his portrait and which have been current throughout Canada since 1942, will be replaced by new postage stamp issues bearing reproductions of more recent portraits by Dorothy Wilding Portraits Limited, London. The new issue will be of the same size and color as in use.

On June 21 a special four-cent commemorative postage stamp will be issued to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the founding of Halifax. The postage stamp will bear a scene based on a painting by C. W. Jeffery, R.C.A., entitled "The Founding of Halifax, 1749" and portrays men assembling original structures on the present site of the city.

The construction force and military personnel depicted represent the original force brought from England by the Hon. Edward Cornwallis who was commissioned to erect a town on this site and landed on the location on June 21, 1749. This stamp will be one and a half inches by one inch and will be purple.

Plans are to have the new stamps placed on sale at the principal Canadian post offices on the dates indicated. First Day Covers for philatelists for the new issue of King George VI stamps will be handled only by the Postmaster General at Ottawa, on June 6, and for the new Halifax commemorative stamp by the Postmaster General at Halifax, on June 21.

The Department has found that the cost of handling First Day Covers exceeds considerably the revenue obtained from the sale of postage affixed to these covers and for this reason collectors will be required to pay a service charge of five cents for each cover to be returned by registered mail or by air mail. These service charges are in addition to the postage the collector wishes affixed to cover regular mail, air mail or registration.

Civic Employees, Firemen Get Wage Boosts at Kelowna

KELOWNA.—Wage increases ranging from \$15 to \$30 a month for permanent employees of the Kelowna Volunteer Fire Department, and a boost of 12 cents an hour for members of the Kelowna Civic Employees' Federal Union, have been granted by City Council. This was revealed last week following ratification of both agreements between the city and the two unions. A third agreement between the city and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers will be dealt with by Council soon. Tentative agreement was placed on the table last week, but details were discussed in committee.

Under the new agreement, first year firemen will be increased from \$180 to \$185 a month; second year firemen, from \$190 to \$195 a month; third year, from \$170 to \$175 a month, and fourth year, \$180 to \$185 a month.

The 12 cents an hour granted members of the civic employees' union will be over and above the wages received last year before the cost of living bonus was granted. The cost of living bonus worked out around six cents an hour, thus the men are getting a net increase of six cents per hour.

Mexico is the world leader in producing silver, and chile for chewing gum.

"Continue Progressive Policies Or Experiment in Socialism" --

—Premier Issues Coalition Manifesto

First Shipment of Whole Milk Made From Westwold Area

WESTWOLD, May 2.—The first cans of milk to be shipped out of this area were sent by H. Wessel who delivered a shipment to a Kamloops dairy on Saturday.

A meeting of the Women's Institute will be held tonight, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Hunter Watson, Jr.

A surprise party was held on Wednesday of last week for Miss Thelma Wessel who was celebrating her 18th birthday. About 12 of her school friends gathered to spend the evening playing games, singing and enjoying refreshments.

Mrs. C. Wilkinson entered the Royal Inland Hospital on Tuesday of last week.

Wilf Mattenley is spending a short holiday at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mattenley, of Westwold.

Mrs. E. McLeod Sr. returned to Westwold from Vancouver to spend the summer with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Evander McLeod.

Again defining the provincial election issue on June 15 as "socialism versus free enterprise," Premier Byron Johnson on Friday night issued the manifesto of the Coalition Government.

"The electorate is asked when they go to the polls to make a decision on the fundamental issue of whether they desire a continuance of the present administration with its progressive policies or whether they wish to embark upon an experiment in socialism."

Confident that the voters will want to continue government of the province on "sound business lines," the Premier reviewed plans put into effect in the 15 months that he and Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb, leader of the Progressive Conservatives, have held office.

This policy was climaxed at the last session when the Government outlined a program of expansion, totalling \$90,000,000. "In every way the Coalition Government endeavored to lay the groundwork for future development."

The Coalition manifesto, as outlined by the Premier, "is based on the assumption that the people of British Columbia desire a continuation of good administration and an aggressive policy of development of the natural resources in all parts of the province."

"The sincerity of our policies is guaranteed by our record of administration, for we are proud of the fact that every policy, enunciated by the Coalition Government, has been carried out."

Premier Johnson cited 34 points in the Coalition manifesto. The plans covered ranged from a review of the Workmen's Compensation Act to efforts to reach a satisfactory Dominion-Provincial-Municipal agreement on low rental housing.

Of Interest Here

Of interest to the North Okanagan were two items: To carry out as soon as possible the irrigation projects for which the government has set aside \$3,000,000. To stimulate

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JUPITER AND THE SYMBOL

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Bread Baking Contest New Exposition Event

With the contest closing date set for Saturday, Vernon housekeepers who can bake good bread should lose no time in filling in their entry forms for the bread baking contest to be run in conjunction with the Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition next week.

There are classes for girls under 18 years of age and for persons over 18.

Brown or white bread can be entered and entries can be made for either one, two, three or all four days.

Entry forms can be obtained from Guy P. Bagnall, chairman, non-commercial exhibits with the completed form to accompany the bread.

Mothers Taking Keen Interest in Baby Show

Application for entry forms in the baby contest, run in conjunction with the Vernon-Okanagan Industrial Exposition on May 11-14 are very brisk, so Guy P. Bagnall, chairman of this portion of the Exposition, stated this week.

Much interest is being displayed in this novel feature, to be run in conjunction with the big show. Classes are open for boys and girls up to the age of 18 months, with an opportunity of winning several prizes.

There are a number of attractive prizes, with a championship award for the mother of the best baby in the show.

Farewell Party

On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monson entertained friends and neighbors at a farewell party at their home. Dancing and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Monson, accompanied by their five daughters, left Wednesday for Vancouver where they will make their future home.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Today's Styles Reflect Those of 500 Years Ago

That there is really nothing new under the sun was never more forcibly demonstrated than by Miss Edna Woolfrey of Lux Educational Services on Thursday afternoon of last week to an audience in Burns Hall. Miss Woolfrey showed fashion styles which dominated historical periods from the Renaissance to the present day, through a dozen 18-inch mannequins, dressed in styles which have prevailed through the past 500 years. The dolls were beautifully and authentically costumed in hand-made clothes, the work of a Toronto woman, and depicted, even to tiny sequins and garters, every fashion detail of the respective periods they represented.

That designers of women's clothes turn to the old, to develop new styles, was obvious during the demonstration. Some fashion highlights of women's attire have withstood centuries.

The affair was sponsored by the Women's Hospital Auxiliary and the Canadian Girl Guide Association, and opened by Auxiliary president, Mrs. Nathan Shklov.

Mother and Daughter
In 1450, the date in which styles worn by the first mannequin prevailed, women wore velvets, damasks and brocades, trimmed with fur. The "shift," or full length white slip, carried through many years. From this period came the mother-and-daughter styles now favored, as little girls of that era wore the same type of garment as their mother.

In Italy, a generation later, then the centre of the Renaissance, a long, damask model was shown, in which the sleeves were not sewn into the armhole, but tacked at the shoulder. If the lady was married, then the twin plaits of hair, worn over the shoulders by the unwed, were confined under a cap.

In the era of Queen Elizabeth, around 1550, came the nipped-in waistline, the low neckline. The model showed the "farthingale," the jewelled bodice—worn over a wooden corset. In those days it took a year to make a dress, hand-woven and hand-dyed. These elaborate bejewelled gowns covered a multitude of sins, as one bath per month was said to be the sum total of the ablutions of Elizabeth, one of England's greatest queens.

Evolution of Compact
From France in 1648 came the off-shoulder, strapless evening gown, and this was one of the most elaborate of the models, being of rose damask over black velvet. Cosmetics came into their own in this era, and the beauty patch, worn at the waistline, was the forerunner of today's compact. The patches, incidentally, were said to cover smallpox marks. Silk stockings were worn in this era, and fashions became intermingled and synonymous with international affairs.

What the pastel shades do for women was demonstrated in the beautiful period model worn by the 1740 woman, originating in France. Here lace became fashionable, and the ensemble was daintier than those of previous centuries. High, upswung hairdos were in the mode then, as were hooped skirts.

In the Marie Antoinette period, about 1775, came the Dresden type. Heavy satins and brocades were gone. What feminine touches do for women were obviously taken to heart by madame of this generation, who leaned heavily to light fabrics, ribbons, flowers, light sparkling jewels, and powdered hair.

Filmy Lingerie Foretold
The 18-inch waistline was a feature of the Victorian period, and hooped skirts, a short Zouze jacket and poke bonnet, led up to the styles of the turn of the century, which reflected the effort of women to attain equality with men. However, today's filmy lingerie was foreordained by the eyelet embroidered petticoat flounce, and the quaint buttoned boots were allowed to show beneath the skirts for the first time in centuries. The "tailored suit," with its train and huge sleeves, again showed the tiny waist.

The era after the First World War can go down in history as producing the ugliest fashions in 500 years. Those of 1920 showed the hobble skirt, similar, however, to today's pencil slim and slit model; but unattractive colors and silhouettes and stupid touches showed up to disadvantage, after the beauty and grace of preceding eras. Along in 1920 came the short-length, no-waisted style, and the model so clad brought loud laughter from the audience. The hat, pulled down to eye-tips had no elegance or beauty, and was most unbecoming. Waistlines were "just above the knee and the hemline just below the knee," Miss Woolfrey quoted a man as saying.

Canada is growing in stature in the fashion world, said Miss Woolfrey, as she climaxed the show with two 1940 models, the lines of which showed some of the grace and beauty of the Renaissance and Marie Antoinette eras, with their full hips, tiny waists, and the use of the stole or scarf.

Normal Hartnell, dress designer to Queen Elizabeth of England, is drawing in a large degree on the past for his styles, so Miss Woolfrey declared.

Afternoon tea was served by the local Girl Guide Association from a lace covered table centred with daffodils and spring flowers.

May Queen to be Feted at Elks' July 1 Program

Vernon's May Day celebrations, which are a project of the Women's Institute, will take place this year on July 1, in Polson Park. This is the B.P.O. Elks Flag Day, which they hope to make an annual affair.

The coronation and attendant ceremonies for the May Queen will be arranged and sponsored by the W.I. as usual. The queen-elect will be selected by her fellow High School students in the regular way. She will be the only queen in the parade, in which, with her entourage, she will figure prominently.

There will be no Maypole Dance. The sports and games attendant on the May Queen fete will be incorporated with the Elks' children's program on July 1.

The Women's Institute is convening the Children's Dance, to be held between 7 and 9 p.m. that day, at which the Elks' popularity queen will be crowned.

For the Bride

The staff of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital entertained in the Nurses' Home on April 14 at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Elizabeth Hunchak, who left for Saskatoon the following day. Miss Hunchak, who is to be married in June, received a large variety of gifts from her assembled friends, who all wished her "good luck."

When using skim milk in place of whole milk in a recipe, the difference in fat content may be made up by adding 1/4 tablespoon extra butter for each cup of skim milk used.



Canadian Fashion

All-Over Blouse—In softest all-wool jersey this charming blouse may be worn at any hour during the day and throughout the year. Adding a charming note is its mandarin-type collar.

Legion W.A. Looks Back Over Six Active Years

—Celebrates Anniversary

The Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion entertained Auxiliary members from Armstrong and Lumby on April 26 at a regular meeting, to mark the occasion of the group's sixth anniversary.

The Auxiliary looks back with pride over six active and successful years.

Following the business meeting, members and visitors enjoyed a social time, to celebrate the occasion. President Mrs. A. S. Neilson rendered vocal solos, which were followed by games and a contest. Refreshments were served, including a large birthday cake, topped with six candles.

Final preparations were reviewed for the Auxiliary's Mothers' Day sale Saturday. Judging by the articles of sewing so far turned in,

this event promises to be an outstanding success, the place to get that gift for "mother," and the place for mother to find a bargain at the rummage stall.

When a request was made for volunteers to assist in the Chest X-ray Clinic which will be in Vernon from May 9 to May 19, there was a good response from the members.

The Auxiliary has been asked by (Continued on Page 24)

Long Time City Resident Reaches 90th Milestone

A resident of Vernon for 34 years prior to 1945, when she went to the Coast to reside with her daughters, Mrs. A. Bigland celebrated her ninetieth birthday on Tuesday of last week.

Sixty guests attended a birthday party in Mrs. Bigland's honor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Newell, of Vancouver. Her two other daughters, Mrs. William Hall, of Vernon, and Mrs. William Alexander, of Nanaimo, and her little son, David, were among the guests. Although the party did not break up until after midnight, Mrs. Bigland was able to enjoy every moment of the affair, owing to her wonderful health and good spirits.

Besides being such an auspicious occasion for Mrs. Bigland, the party was also a reunion of former Vernon friends. Among them were Mrs. A. E. Foster, of Jubilee, at one time of the Vernon Hardware, under whom Mrs. Bigland's son-in-law, W. Hall, was apprenticed; Mrs. Fred Tennant, Mrs. Henry Harwood, Mrs. Annie Osborne, Mrs. Evelyn Poppleton, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mitchell and their two daughters; also Miss Nellie Forbes and Mrs. Douglas Campbell, the former Miss Rita Beckingham.

When Mrs. Bigland resided in Vernon, she was an active member of the Vernon United Church and the Red Cross Society, knitting hundreds of pairs of socks during World War Two for that organization, and also for the Okanagan

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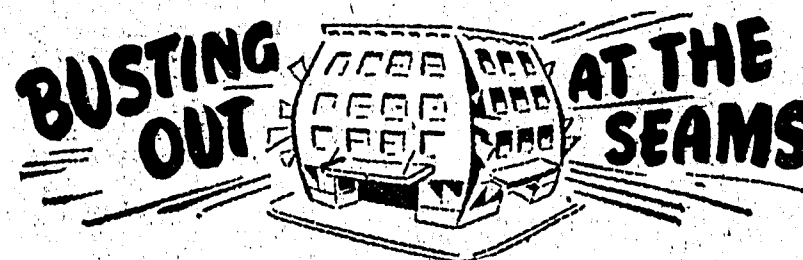
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Start Wiring for Power at Mara

MARA, May 3.—The Mara Community Club held a very successful bazaar on Saturday afternoon in the Mara Hall. A good variety of hand-made articles were on sale, and afternoon tea was served. A beautiful hand-crocheted cloth was drawn for, and won by Mrs. Chris Kilt. A fair sum was realized to carry on work for the community.

The Mara Women's Society held its monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. G. Scott. There was a good attendance. The draw was won by Mrs. C. Rosoman. Tea was served by Mrs. W. Harkness.

Mara homes are now being wired for electricity and residents hope the power will be turned on this fall. A well attended meeting was held in the hall on Thursday evening of last week to explain to the residents the outlay of the power. T. B. Bird, district manager of the B.C. Power Commission, from Vernon, was the speaker.

Mrs. William Kenyon returned to her home here last week, after several weeks spent in Vancouver, where she attended the marriage of her only son, Walter Kenyon.

Mrs. Alina Witala, who recently sold her farm to N. Anchikie, of Grindrod, has purchased the house of Fritz Gibson. She moved this week. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lennard have rented the home recently vacated by Mrs. Witala.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Coell were visitors to Enderby last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Davey.

Mrs. Ed Robertson Jr recently underwent a major operation in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital. She is expected to return home during the next week.

William McSherry spent several days in Enderby last week.

If you are the impatient sort and will not take time to rub a lotion well into your hands after dish-washing, laundry work, etc., at least keep a jar of vanishing cream in the kitchen and apply some of this after drying the hands. To many it is just as effective as a liquid softener and is much more quickly applied.

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Chrysler Chapter Clears Over \$200 at Bridge-Tea

There was an excellent attendance at the Chrysler Chapter, I.O.D.E., spring tea and bridge, held on Saturday afternoon in the I.O.O.F. Hall. Approximately 30 tables of bridge were played during the afternoon. The players were augmented in numbers at the tea hour when a large number of people dropped in. Proceeds, after all expenses were paid, were over \$200.

Each member of the Chapter undertook to make up a table of players. Overall general convener of the affair was Mrs. T. M. Gibson, assisted by Mrs. H. Woodhouse. Mrs. A. Berner convoked the cards; Mrs. C. W. Morrow the home cooking stall, and Mrs. Pat Woods, afternoon tea, the latter being the climax of the afternoon.

The success of the affair far exceeded expectations, and spring was reflected in the beautifully appointed tea tables, arranged in T-shape, from which refreshments were served buffet style by members of the Chrysler Chapter and the Major Allan Brooks D.S.O. Junior Chapter. Covered with ecru lace cloths, a crystal bowl of pink flowering almonds, flanked by tall, burning tapers, centred the head table, with bowls of tulips used as floral decor on the long table. Presiding at the urns were Mrs. S. H. Moore and Mrs. T. R. B. Adams.

Mrs. Gordon Skinner was in charge of drawing competitions, with Mrs. Charles Wylie winning the first prize of a \$25 merchandise certificate, and Mrs. Harold Fleming the second prize of a hooked mat. An angel cake was won by Mrs. A. W. Walker. Miss G. Habke was awarded a food hamper, a project of the Junior Chapter.

Attendant Duo In Pastel Frocks for District Bride's Rites

On Monday, April 18, at 3 p.m. in the Vernon Lutheran Church, Dorothea Helene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Froehlich, of O'Keefe's Siding, Kamloops Road, became the bride of Alfred Schinkel, of Lavington. Rev. H. Meyer officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white sheer mounted over taffeta, styled with a sweetheart neckline. Her white net veil was held in place by a coronet, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Two attendants, Miss Violet Schneider and Miss Ida Wiedeman, wore toe-touching frocks of aqua and rose taffeta respectively, and carried bouquets of spring flowers in matching shades. Robert Froehlich was groomsmen.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Burns Hall, where covers were laid for approximately 100 guests. The bride's table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake. The bridal toast was proposed by Mr. Meyer, responded to by the groom.

A dance followed, with the Trapp Orchestra supplying the music. At midnight the bride and groom cut their wedding cake which was later served to the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Schinkel have returned from their honeymoon, and have taken up residence at their home in Lavington.

Kamloops Band Wins Praise At Festival

KAMLOOPS.—Listening to the music of the Kamloops High School Band at Penticton Friday night was like getting the "right amount of porridge with the right amount of salt." So said J. Peebles Conn, noted Scottish musician and adjudicator, when he gave the Kamloops Band first place in its class at the 23rd Annual Okanagan Musical Festival.

The K.H.S. aggregation was in competition with bands from Penticton, Oliver and Chelan, Wash. The Chelan High School Band, which took second place, is Washington State champion. The principal of the Chelan High School and several staff members who accompanied the band to the festival, recalling a similar defeat by Kamloops last year at Kelowna, good-naturedly warned A. Nelson McMurdo, musical director for the Kamloops High School, that they had been "practicing all year so that we could beat you."

"Yes," replied Mr. McMurdo, "but you have been practicing all year so that you couldn't."

The Kamloops High School Band made the long journey to Penticton Friday afternoon in two chartered buses that brought the youngsters to Penticton "with only enough time to literally 'grab something to eat' before appearing on the stage of the festival auditorium.

The deepest place in the ocean yet found is off the island of Mindanao, in the Philippines, where a sounding of 35,400 feet has been reported.

Stagette Club Raises \$120 for Infants' Ward

The sum of \$120 raised by the Stagette Club on Saturday afternoon at a rummage sale in the Burns Hall will go towards the new Jubilee Hospital. This is the 1949 project of the club.

The general convener of Saturday's affair was club president Miss Mildred Anderson, assisted by members, who collected and donated articles for sale, and manned the stalls for the throngs of customers.

The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday of next week.

"Blossom Tea" Aids Fund of Oyama Church

OYAMA, May 3.—A "blossom tea" and sale of work and home cooking was held Thursday of last week in the Memorial Hall under sponsorship of the United Church Ladies' Aid. The president, Mrs. E. Hunter, opened the affair and Mrs. W. Dugate was in charge of tea arrangements. Tea was served to a large attendance.

The mobile chest X-ray clinic will be in Winfield tomorrow, Friday, for the benefit of Oyama residents.

J. C. Craig and K. P. Wynne, of the Vernon Fruit Union's Oyama branch staff, recently motored to Ocean Falls for a tour of inspection of the paper mills there.

The annual baseball dance of the Oyama Eagles and Greencaps will be held in the Community Hall tomorrow evening, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cushing, of Kimberley, are new residents of the former W. Dobson ranch. Mr. Cushing plans in the near future to convert the place into a "dude ranch."

An auction sale brought many people to Oyama on Thursday of last week. The personal belongings, three acre farm and jeep owned by the late W. Forward were for sale. The proceeds from sale of the jeep were willed by Mr. Forward to go to the fund for the crippled children's hospital and they amounted to a large donation.

Mrs. L. Norman returned from the Coast recently where she attended the provincial convention of the C.O.F.

Mrs. W. Laurie has returned to her home after being confined for several weeks as a patient in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital.

There has been a good response in the Oyama district to the appeal for funds to the Conquer Cancer campaign.

Mold will not form on books if the book shelves are wiped occasionally with oil of cedar.



It was a smiling Freda Linton who appeared in Criminal Court in Montreal, when her name was called and her case postponed to May 3. She is charged under the Official Secrets Act and is the last of the Russian spy suspects to surrender to the R.C.M.P.

Ribbons which you use to pretty up blouse, slip or bow-tie, in baby's hair, can be pressed without ironing. All you need to do is wet the ribbon and lay it flat on a smooth surface, such as a bathtub, or wrap it tightly around a steam pipe to dry.

A little borax added to the starch will mean smoother ironing.

DO YOU KNOW about TRAVEL RATION REGULATIONS?

It saves time and trouble when you familiarize yourself with the regulations regarding travel to the United States before you set out on your trip. Here are the facts:

1. The allowance for pleasure travel during the current ration period of November 16th, 1948, to November 15th, 1949, is \$150 U.S. per person (\$100 in the case of children under 11 years old).
2. A Form H permit, obtainable at any bank, is required to take out of Canada amounts exceeding \$10 U.S. or \$25 U.S. and Canadian funds.
3. Special allowances are granted for strictly business travel where your application is certified by your employer.
4. Applications for larger amounts of U.S. funds for travel for health or educational purposes may be made on special forms obtainable at your bank.

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LETTER

Someone Will Get Hurt
Editor, The Vernon News: Sir:
As will be known by now, baseball got off to a start on Thursday evening of last week. I was one of the spectators along with a lot more of the "old faithfuls." Now, we go to those games to enjoy the entertainment these boys put on for us and all credit is due them for their sportsmanship after working all day and coming out at night to please other people.

They enjoy it, as I know well enough I did when I was able to be among the gang "doing my stuff."

But the point is this: we do not want to go to the games and see some small boy, or anyone in fact, get hurt. Last Thursday there were over 20 small boys inside the rails near the players. If a foul ball is hit that way, which very often happens, someone is going to be seriously hurt. Who would pay the costs?

Then at the back of the catcher, the screen has holes in it. I went over to two young boys who had their heads stuck through these holes looking at the game and I politely told them how dangerous this practice was.

I got the answer, "We can see the ball coming." But they no sooner got their heads out when a ball came just about one foot from where they were looking.

I suggest that the managers of each team be instructed to give notice before the game starts that no one other than the players and the bat boys be allowed on the field. The umpires should be asked to see that the order is carried out.
H. WILLIAMS.
3602 27th Ave., Vernon, B.C.
May 1, 1949.

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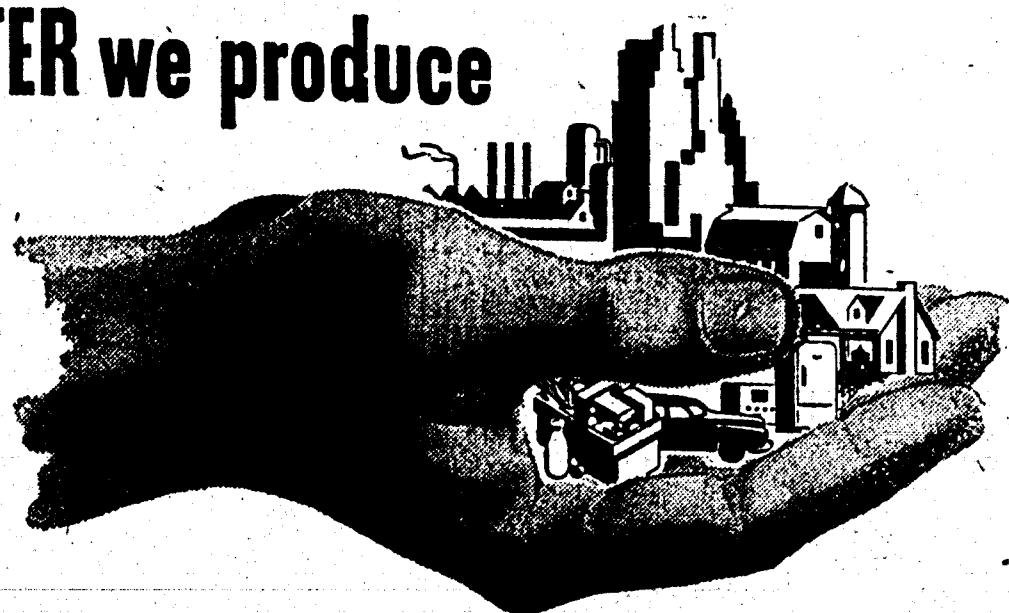
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The chrysanthemum is a sun-loving plant. Given plenty of water it will thrive in the hottest location. Under shady conditions the plants tend to grow tall and spindly. Excellent blooms can be secured from plants set in any good garden soil.

With most varieties, best results are obtained by starting new plants each spring. By early May the old plants have usually sent out a number of new shoots at the base of which a few small roots have developed. At this time the old crowns may well be dug up. This makes it easy to remove the new shoots and replant them. They should be set about 18 inches apart, making sure that the soil is pressed firmly about them and that they are kept moist for the next 10 days.

If there are a large number of plants a temporary cutting bed is advisable in which the plants may be set three inches apart in rows six inches apart. This makes it easy to keep the young plants watered until they are well rooted, after which they may be set in their permanent positions.

When the young plants reach a

height of about a foot they should be tipped back to encourage branching. The bed should be kept watered during the summer. Towards the end of August a good plan is to apply a top dressing of a fertilizer mixture with analysis of 8-10-5, at the rate of a handful to each half dozen plants. Care should be taken to keep the fertilizer off the leaves and to water thoroughly after application.

Many excellent varieties of hardy chrysanthemums are now available. The so-called cushion or acaemums such as Bronze Queen, Pink Pearl and Ruby Red begin blooming very early and continue over a long season. They are dwarf in habit and very suitable for use as edgings to borders.

In the medium height, early blooming varieties, the following can be highly recommended: Eugene Winder (yellow), Connie Hall (pink), Olive Longland (apricot), and Fred F. Rockwell (orange scarlet).

The recently developed Korean varieties have proved very popular. They flower somewhat later than those listed above. The flowers are comparatively small but are borne in great profusion and include a wide range of very beautiful colors. Some of the attractive single varieties are: Apollo (terra-cotta), Ceres (chamois yellow), Hebe (pink) and Nancy (chamois yellow). There are also excellent double varieties such as Bungundy (wine red), Autumn Lights (bronze), and Pink Radiance, the glowing color of which is well described by the name.

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Manifesto

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In other parts of the province, were other points declared.

Expansion of highway improvement throughout the province, with a view to completing the main arterial highways by 1955, also was listed by Premier Johnson. Mining, expansion of scientific research to assist industries, sound building on the social security structure already well laid down, increase in outdoor sports facilities, assistance for school boards, were further objectives.

Another aim was to press for implementation by the Dominion Government of a system of contributory superannuation.

Premier Johnson concluded outlining the 24 points with the statement: "To render the Dominion Government fullest co-operation in all matters affecting our security thereby making evident our full support of Canada's partnership in the Atlantic Pact."

B.C.'s Premier concluded: "I am confident that when all the returns have been counted the people will once again have said very emphatically it is their desire British Columbia should progress along sound business lines."

Enderby P.T.A. Will Sponsor Graduation Banquet for Students

ENDERBY, May 3.—Members of the Parent-Teachers' Association, who will sponsor the Enderby High School Graduation Banquet to be held in the K. of P. Hall for parents and friends, are busy making plans for the big event. A meeting was held in the school auditorium on Monday evening.

Miss Marjorie Smith, of the University of British Columbia, was guest speaker at the gathering. Following the meeting Miss Smith showed a film dealing with the problem of community play.

The Mobile T.B. X-ray Unit was in Enderby on Tuesday, and yesterday, Wednesday. The van operated in the K. of P. Hall as in other years and canvassers had made appointments for local residents. J. A. Labron, chairman of the project and his committee did much to make the drive a success.

Enderby Farmers Complete Hay Shipments to Market

ENDERBY, May 3.—Hay shippers from this part of the Valley have about finished their shipments to outside markets for this year until the new crop is ready, according to a report from John Olson, one of the largest hay shippers in this district.

Shipments from the Valley this year about equal last year's shipments, says Mr. Olson, and are equal to the average of other years. Due to the heavy growth last year there was a good quantity of hay shipped to Osoyoos and outside markets from here. Growers expect the hay crop will be ready slightly earlier this year as the spring season growth is slightly earlier in this part of the district compared to last year.

Most farmers locally have completed their spring work, such as ploughing and seeding, and the entire Valley is a large expanse of lush green growth stretching acre after acre.

Creeks are beginning to rise somewhat in this part of the district, due chiefly to heavy rains in the Valley and neighboring hills this past week. Although in some sections the rain turned to snow, this soon melted and assisted in taking away some of the snow still lying on the nearby mountain areas. Most of the high water is recorded in the local area from May 24 and with the steady rising of the district creeks this year should be in keeping with other years. Residents hope there will not be sufficient high water to cause the floods of last year.

Following a short meeting in the City Hall on Friday evening, under the chairmanship of A. Woodley, a decision was made to sponsor a Cancer Unit in Enderby within the next few weeks. In the meantime, members of the I.O.D.E. would do the canvassing for the cancer drive with a portion of the proceeds being divided between the provincial campaign and the I.O.D.E. campaign.

During the past few years these two campaigns have canvassed separately. As a result, both undertakings failed to receive the best possible support from the public. However, this year in fairness to the public and the two working organizations

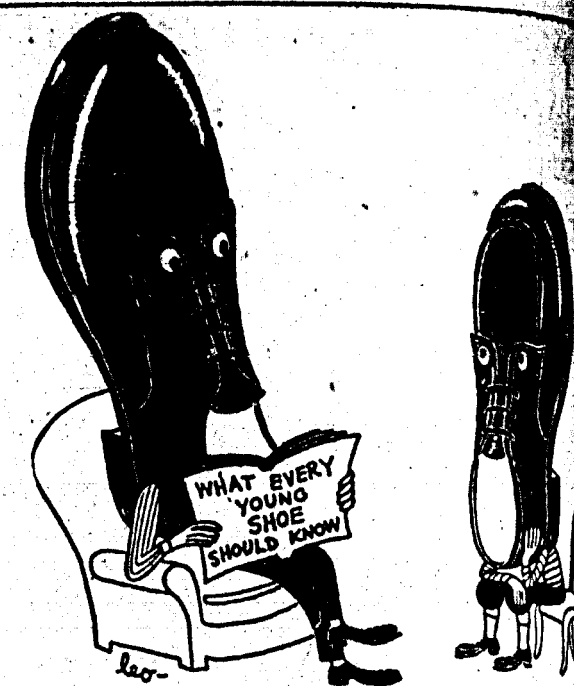
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Jaycees Repaint Big "Pentiction" Letters in Clean-Up Drive

PENTICTON.—"It was hard work but worth it," said Jack Petley, local Jaycee president, announcing the completion of the "Jaycee Clean Up" project of painting the letters of the word "Pentiction" on Munson's Mountain.

The group raked off the letters, which are of grey slate, bordered with white rock, clearing off all weeds and debris.

This was not easy, as each letter "stem" is eight feet wide and 40 feet deep. When this was completed, an inspection from across the lake was made, but it was apparent "that we'd hardly made an impression, judging from that distance," Mr. Petley said.

The Jaycees procured white wash, and Frank Witner brought his orchard sprayer over. As a result, the letters now stand out strongly, and can be clearly seen from the highway on the west side of the lake, also from passing aircraft.

"We intend to give them another coat before the summer is over," Mr. Petley states. Possibly on the next occasion some form of more permanent material will be used that will not wash out.

Kamloops Authors Receive Awards For Playwriting Contest

KAMLOOPS.—Mrs. Earl Blinn and Mrs. J. Plinder-Moss have been successful in the playwriting contest sponsored by the Ottawa Drama League Workshop. The contest was open to amateurs and professionals across the Dominion.

Mrs. Blinn was one of four who shared first prize. Because of the excellence of the four top entries, the judges divided the prize, "Amnesia" was the title of her play.

Honorable mention was given to the play submitted by Mrs. Plinder-Moss. It was entitled "Enter Act."

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True or False?—A Roman Catholic priest recently claimed according to U.S. news despatches from Wichita, that the real Tito in Yugoslavia is dead, a victim of Russian bullets, and that the present dictator is merely a figurehead. The priest asked that he remain anonymous for fear of reprisals in his homeland, which he fled some time ago.



Vast Expansion Program of Power for South Okanagan

KELCOWNA.—Less than 24 hours after R. G. Anderson, general manager of the West Kootenay Power and Light Company conferred with members of the City Council and the city electrical engineer, over improving power facilities in this district, a vast program of expansion for the Creston and Okanagan areas was announced by the company's head office at Trail.

The conference, presided over by Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games, discussed the power situation in the city. At that time city officials pointed out the necessity of improving the distribution system to the Orchard City, especially during the packing season when plants are running at full capacity.

It is understood the city informed Mr. Anderson that Council does not want to go ahead and revamp its city distribution facilities until definite assurance is received from the company that adequate power will be available at all times, especially during peak periods.

New Sub-Stations

It was learned that sub-station at Okanagan Mission would be one of the answers to improve the distribution system.

After Mr. Anderson returned to Trail, he announced that major additions to the company's transmission and distribution systems are planned in the Okanagan at a total estimated expenditure of \$500,000.

These additions will comprise the installation of two 15,000 K.V.A. regulating transformers at Oliver, B.C. The construction of second 22-mile 60 K.V. transmission line between Penticton and Summerland, including a new sub-station at Summerland and the installation of 1,500 K.V.A. step-down units in the various rural load centres.

The four steps, said Mr. Anderson, would correct transmission and

distribution difficulties resulting from abnormal load increase and would make for provision for expansion in the future.

In connection with Creston, Mr. Anderson said that authorization had been given to proceed immediately with the survey of a 60 K.V. transmission line between the Kootenay River system and Creston, in the East Kootenay. Should the survey indicate no major obstacles, construction of the line will proceed this year, at an estimated expenditure of \$375,000.

Water conditions in the Goat River near Creston prevent further extension of the company's Creston hydro-electric plant, and the company's move was made to ensure an ample supply of power to meet the growing demand from that rapidly extending valley.

SCREEN FLASHES

Greer Garson, the screen's top dramatic actress, now shows herself a brilliant comedienne as well in the hilarious "Julia, My Beloved," in which she is currently appearing at the Capitol Theatre with her partner of many earlier hits, Walter Pidgeon.

The teaming of Miss Garson and Pidgeon, always an adroit one, is happier than ever in their present roles and they make the most of every comedy situation. Peter Lawford paints an engaging picture of the impetuous young artist who steals Susan from under her very suitor's nose, with Susan enacted by the attractive Elizabeth Taylor.

A great motion picture achieves perfection through talents of its stars and the excellence of its scenes. "The Paradine Case," showing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Capitol Theatre has both qualifications and presents them in a startling manner.

This suspenseful love story drew from each of its stars a new peak in emotional artistry. Their combined performances comprise the most intense drama yet contained in a single motion picture. Starring in "The Paradine Case" are Valli, Gregory Peck, Ann Todd, Charles Laughton, Charles Coburn, Ethel Barrymore and Louis Jourdan.

"Leather Gloves," hard-hitting story of a fighter who double-crossed himself, opens tonight, Thursday, for three days at the Empress Theatre with Cameron Mitchell and Virginia Grey featured.

"The Enchanted Valley," a modern woodland idyll filmed in Cinecolor against the background of Nature's own great outdoors, begins a three-day engagement today at the Empress Theatre.

"Prison Without Bars," starring Edna Best and Barry Barnes, brings to the Empress Theatre screen 60 minutes of thrill packed entertainment. Second half of the double bill, featured Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Empress, is "City Without Men," starring Linda Darnell and Edgar Buchanan.

Penticton May Build 120-Bed Hospital

PENTICTON.—Providing Penticton can furnish approximately one-third of the cost, the community may have a new 120-bed hospital. So reported Charles Stewart, chairman of the local hospital board, and Dr. W. Roy Walker, following an interview recently with the Hon. G. S. Pearson, provincial minister of health and welfare, at Victoria.

The minister fully approved the erection here of the 120-bed unit, suggested by the board, which would have service provisions enabling its eventual expansion to a much larger institution.

Apricot, Cherry and Early Peach Blossom Beautiful at Centre

OKANAGAN CENTRE, May 2.—There is a wonderful display of apricot and cherry blossoms in the district orchards now and early peaches are beginning to bloom. The humming birds arrived last week in good time for all the sweet-nests.

Many members of the United Church Board of Stewards attended the quarterly meeting of the district at Behrville on April 25.

Among those who attended the Okanagan Valley Musical Festival at Penticton were: Mr. and Mrs. B. Baker, Mrs. H. Van Ackern, Mr. and Mrs. V. Slater, and Mrs. O. G. Fallow.

C. G. Fallow attended the shipper's meeting at Penticton on Wednesday of last week.

H. Van Ackern returned to his home at the weekend after a week's visit to Ocean Falls.

Mrs. H. Bernau, accompanied by her daughter, Daphne, was a recent visitor to Vancouver.

Joan and Valerie Van Ackern attended the musical festival at Penticton last week. They were entrants in the dancing classes.

A. W. Hunter, of Vancouver, is visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hunter.

Mrs. Cyril Smith, of Vernon, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harrop, for a few days last week.

Sons of Scotland To Set Up New Camp in Vernon

To commence the celebration of their 73rd anniversary, the executive board of the Sons of Scotland Benevolent Association has authorized the western organizer, William D. Morrison, to open a new camp (dodge) in Vernon on Saturday, May 21.

With over 60 petitions for membership on hand, this opening night promises to be a gala event for Scots of this city. Local sponsor of the new camp is William Nichol, 3307 34th Avenue. Scotsmen, Scotswomen, wives of Scotsmen or descendants desiring charter membership can obtain application forms and information from Mr. Morrison at the above address.

The Sons of Scotland is a Canadian Scottish fraternal order of a very high financial standing whose slogan is, "We do not operate for profit." Its activities extend from coast to coast propounding the gospel of good Canadian citizenship and mutual benevolence with benefits to its membership.

This organization has a steady and substantial growth until today, from Robert Burns Camp One which opened in Toronto, Ont. on June 27, 1876, it has sprung to over 200 camps across the Dominion. There are seven camps in Vancouver, one in New Westminster and

Sanitary Conditions Improve for Kelowna

KELOWNA.—Sanitary conditions in the City of Kelowna have improved considerably during recent months. This was indicated in the monthly report submitted to City Council recently by Dr. Helen Zeman, local medical health officer.

Dr. Zeman stated that in eight samples of domestic water taken during the 31-day period, all were negative (germ-free), while in one sample taken at the reservoir intake pipe, one sample was contaminated.

The health officer said an inspection of the lake tugs revealed that toilet facilities are locked while the boats are docked in the vicinity of the intake pipe.

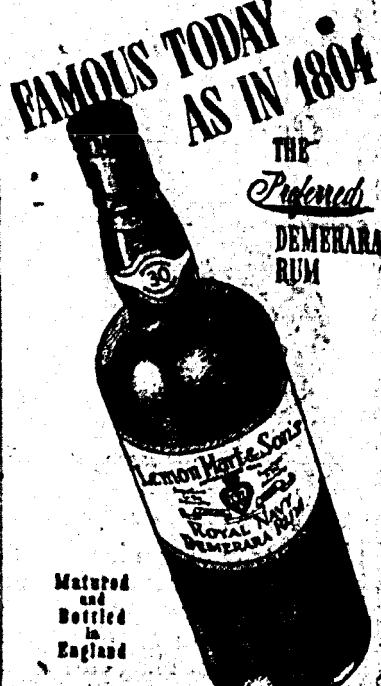
Eating and drinking establishments had improved considerably from the sanitary point of view, one in North Vancouver.

With nothing "narrow or national" in the constitution, the camps of this Canadian Scottish organization have invariably proved their worth in every city and town throughout Canada and have commanded the respect of Dominion authorities as well as that of kindred organizations.

Those few Canadian Scots who organized the first camp 70 years ago "built better than they knew" and erected more enduring monuments to that love of homeland, love for the adopted country, and their fraternal instincts and business foresight.

she said, adding that this was a good sign and would tend to eliminate the marginal operators. Winter garbage is gradually being removed, the report continued, while business establishments had been warned in connection with refuse.

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The Cricket Club to serve tea at the cricket grounds, Lakeview Park on Sunday afternoons throughout the summer. Members decided to do this, under the convener'ship of Mrs. Harold Smith and W. Baillie Jr. They also decided to open the canteen on Saturday nights for the benefit of those attending dances.

Okanagan Lake Level Over Agreed Low

KELOWNA.—Level of Okanagan Lake has passed the agreed minimum of 95.5 feet. According to City of Kelowna lake level figures released Thursday morning, the reading was 95.59 feet, a rise of 1.68 inches in three days.

With the advent of warmer weather, water in Mission and Mill Creeks has increased considerably, but officials are not becoming concerned.

A. F. Paget, water rights engineer, thought the run-off from the hills has been satisfactory to date, while some observers believe that with an earlier run-off, there will be no exceptionally high water this year. Water rights officials will be making another inspection of McCulloch at the end of the month.

So far, the weather has been satisfactory, insofar as the run-off is concerned. Work has been progressing on Mission Creek, and department of public works officials hope that most of the work will be completed within the next two weeks.



Soviet Agent Held at Winnipeg

Described by Canadian officials as a veteran Soviet agent, Dmitry Leshchenko (left), is being held at Winnipeg pending an Immigration Board inquiry. Officials say the former Soviet officer, shown with a Royal Canadian Mounted Police plainclothesman, admitted entering the Dominion illegally as a fifth column worker. They said he probably would be deported.

Enderby Council Also Ponders Dust Problems

ENDERBY, May 3.—Members of the Enderby City Council discussed plans regarding the dust on Cliff Street at the Tuesday evening meeting. They pointed out that the last time that this street was oiled, two tanks of oil were used and the improved condition lasted most of the summer. A coating of sand will have to be put on the street in order to make a foundation for the oil. At the present time, there is only a light dust topping.

Due to the much heavier traffic, dust from Cliff Street has caused a good deal of discomfort to business premises in that area. The Council felt that in fairness to the business section something would have to be done to eliminate this difficulty before the hot summer weather began.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyne, of Vernon, were in Enderby on Sunday visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Caswell.

Several of the primary school teachers motored to Vernon on Monday, where they attended a teachers' meeting. Students of these classes were able to have a Monday holiday, making a long weekend for many of the primary grade. Mrs. La Monte, Mrs. Buhler and Miss Proffitt were among those attending.

Mrs. George Green has been spending a visit with friends and relatives at Winfield this week. Mrs. George Johnson returned to her home in Enderby this week after a week's holiday.

Early Pioneer of Ashton Creek Area Buried at Enderby

Ashton Creek lost another of its pioneer residents on Wednesday of last week when Edwin John Shute, 71, died in the Enderby General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Shute was born in Dorset, England, and came to Canada in 1901, later settling in the Mabel Lake Valley where he farmed and was for many years government road foreman.

Surviving relatives are his wife, Elizabeth; one son, Charles, of Ashton Creek; and one daughter, Mrs. E. K. Evans, of Nelson. He was predeceased in 1947 by his younger son, Albert.

Funeral services were conducted from St. George's Parish Church on Saturday by Rev. J. E. Longfellow.

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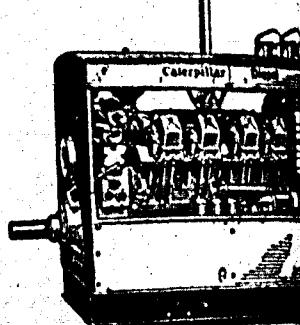


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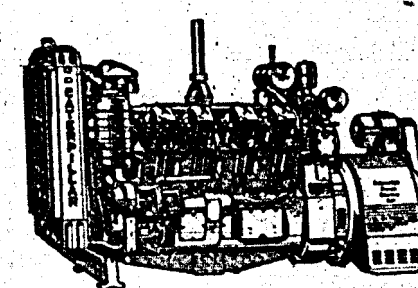
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Victoria Man Fined \$25 for Issuing Bad Cheque Here in Fall

Pleading guilty to a charge of issuing a bad cheque, Frank W. Stathan, of Victoria, was fined \$25 and costs by Magistrate Frank Smith in City Police Court on Tuesday morning.

Last November 8 the accused issued the \$10 cheque to Fred Puh, of this city.

Pentiction Taxpayers Face Heaviest Mill Rate Ever

PENTICTON.—Pentiction's 1949 budget, designed to raise a total of \$915,619.62, will necessitate a tax rate of 53 mills based on 100 percent of land and 50 percent of improvements assessments.

It is the highest tax rate in the city's history and involves an increase in the improvements tax from one-third to one-half.

Although actual estimates are still in the tentative stage, being finalized last week, figures upon which the tax rate is being based have been discussed closely by council which accepted the finance committee's recommendation that the improvements tax be increased to meet added costs.

Had the improvements tax remained at one-third, it would have been necessary to impose a mill rate of 66.5.

As it is, those in the sewer district will pay a total of 58.35 mills, the special sewer levy being 5.35 mills.

In broadest outline, the 53-mill rate is made up as follows:

For school purposes, \$168,493.34, or 23.41 mills.

Debt interest and principal, \$86,771.09, or 13.45 mills.

General purposes, \$116,130.19, or 16.14 mills.

The tax levy will bring a total of \$381,394.62 into city coffers.

The balance of the estimated \$915,619.62 to be raised this year will come from other sources, the principal amounting which are:

Municipal aid tax, \$55,000; motor vehicles tax, \$17,000; social assistance grant, \$26,000; sewer installations, \$10,000; trades license fees, \$20,000; domestic water rates, \$48,000; electric light revenue, \$263,000.

Among the heaviest items of expenditure, in addition to school requirements and debt service provision, are the following:

Street work, \$20,000 plus an estimated \$25,000 in the land sale account; fire department, \$23,493.50; police department, \$27,223; police department, \$15,865; health and welfare, \$8,980; public works department, including roads, garbage and sewer plant operation, \$138,983.

The electric light department has budgeted for \$186,715, of which \$108,000 is for the purchase of energy; domestic water department, \$50,225; administration and general, \$90,897; general capital account, \$20,250.

These figures, of course, are estimates only. Some may be exceeded, some not used at all. Work in the two creeks, for which \$20,000 was allowed in the estimates, has already cost several times that sum over and above the bylaw and will probably cost a great deal more yet.

Some other department will have to make up the difference between the amount allowed in the estimates for the creeks and the actual cost.

Washington Students To Visit Pentiction

PENTICTON.—Seventeen senior high school students from Oakesdale, Wash., will be visitors here Friday, according to Mrs. George Kingsley, of the Pentiction Travel Bureau.

Teen Town will be hosts to them on Saturday.

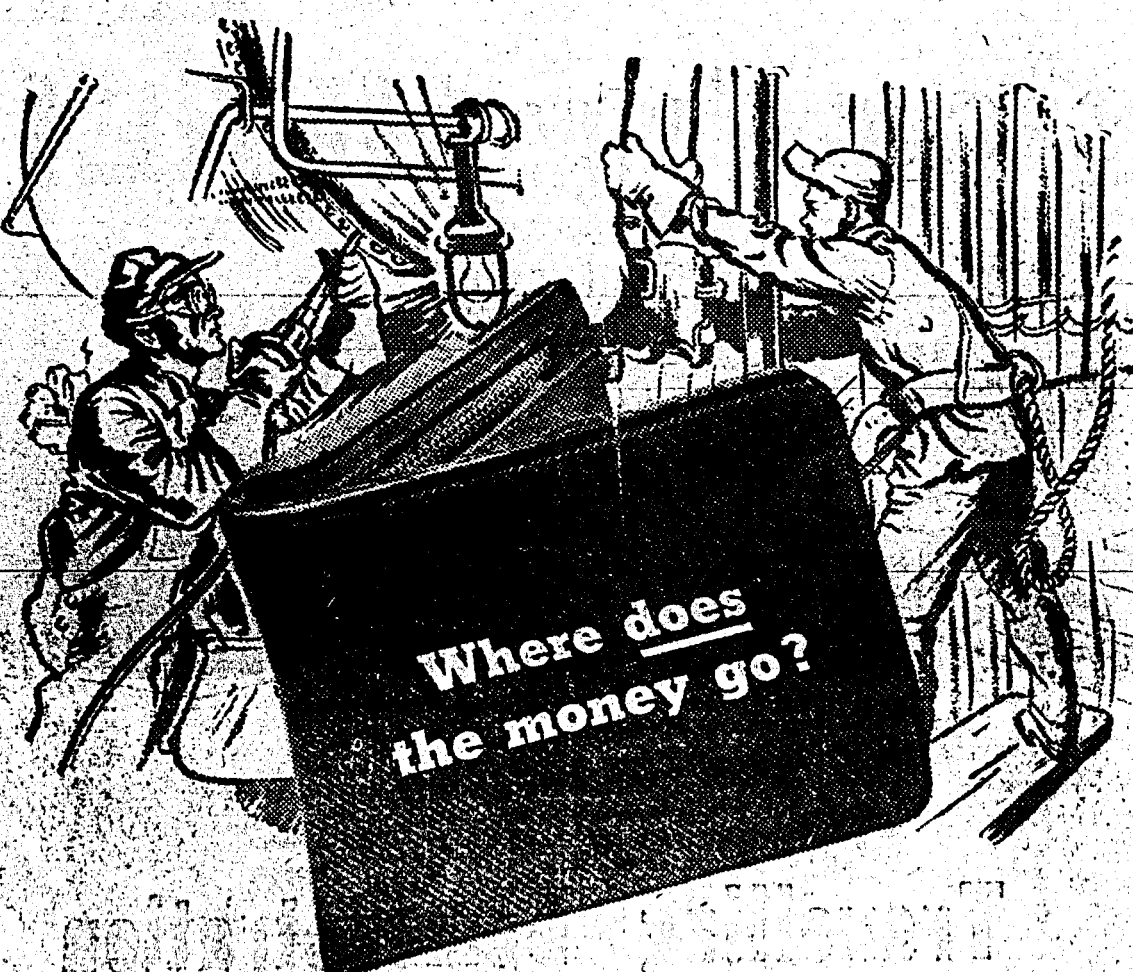
The students are coming here under a definite travel plan adopted by the school. There have been inquiries from two other groups of students. Mrs. Kingsley also reports that there is a lively interest in Okanagan Valley Blossom Time Tours. Once carload will be leaving on such a tour Sunday morning, on a five-day trip throughout the entire Valley.

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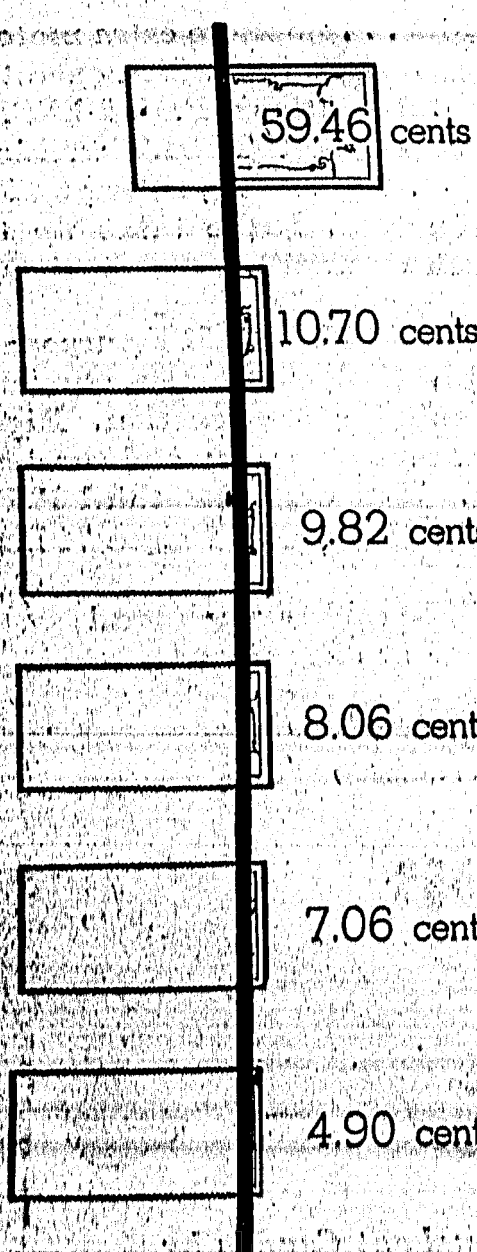
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The dollars we received last year—for gasoline, kerosene, fuel oil and other products—went this way:



Crude Oil and other raw materials we needed to make the products took the first big slice. Depending on where you live your oil may have come from Arabia, from South America, or from deep in the United States. In Canada only Alberta produced crude in quantity.

Manufacturing and packaging came next—complex and intricate refining operations are needed to make the hundreds of oil products which find thousands of uses in our homes and industries, on our highways, in the air and on the sea.

Transportation was the next big bite—products must move over wide areas to serve all communities in Canada.

Marketing was fourth. Marketing provides the products you need wherever you are—power, heat and lubricants for factory, farm and home. Marketing supplies that local businessman, the dealer, and if you're a fuel oil user, keeps oil in your tank!

Taxes to provincial and federal governments absorbed 7.06 cents. And this does not include gasoline tax, which—depending on where you live—takes from 22 to 35 cents out of every dollar you spend for standard grade gasoline.

Profit was 4.9 cents out of each sales dollar. From this we paid three cents to shareholders as dividends. There was used—along with a lot more money we borrowed and still more obtained by sales of investments—to help meet your increasing needs for oil!

Pentiction Resident Sues City for One Dollar Garbage Bill

PENTICTON.—The Corporation of the City of Pentiction, no stranger to litigation is about to be sued again. This time, the city is in the Small Debts Court.

The amount sought is one dollar. H. E. Gough, who hails from England, and is not afraid to let anyone know it, told the Pentiction Herald he "is sticking up for his rights."

Only briefly mentioned at last week's Council meeting the action concerns Mr. Gough's garbage collection. Apparently, according to the plaintiff, there has been considerable trouble in connection with this.

Finally, in desperation, Mr. Gough paid a delivery man to take it away, the charge for which service was one dollar. Mr. Gough, in order to draw attention to the problem, sent the city a bill for this amount. This being unpaid, he is now suing the city for the amount in the Pentiction Small Debts Court.

"I got tired of having them kick my garbage can around, and spill the stuff all over the place," said Mr. Gough.

The Council instructed the clerk to notify the city solicitor. It feels that, as Mr. Gough is not an agent of the city, he had no right to arrange for the private service, and then charge them for it.

The first exact date in Indian history is 320 B.C., the year that Alexander the Great invaded India.



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